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DR. J. R. SMITH PASSES AWAY

Medical Practitioner Here for 30 Years—Member of Board of Education and Leading Horticulturist—A Prominent and Widely Known Citizen.

The passing of Dr. Joseph Rymal Smith, for upwards of thirty years a practicing physician here, has occasioned widespread regret in the community in which he was one of its most prominent citizens who enjoyed in large measure the respect and esteem of his fellow citizens.

His death which occurred at the Hamilton General Hospital on Sunday afternoon last, after a brief illness of a week, came as a shock to many of his friends, who were unaware of the seriousness of his indisposition.

The late Dr. Smith who was in his 68th year was born in Mount Hope, being a son of the late Dr. Lafayette Smith. He received his education in the public and high schools at Caledonia after which he entered Victoria College from which he graduated in medicine in 1892. After his graduation he took a post graduate course in the New York Graduate Medical school following which he practised for a number of years in New York State. In 1904 he returned to Grimsby where he had since followed his profession, being very well known in the town and throughout the district.

A leading horticulturist of the town and district, and an active member of the Grimsby Horticultural Society of which he was a former president, the late Dr. Smith was a lover of trees, flowers and shrubs, which was reflected in the beautiful surroundings of his spacious home, corner of Main and Paton Streets. His garden was an especially attractive one and here in season was to be seen a profusion of bloom which was much admired.

Educational matters also much interested him and he was for years an active member of the Board of Education of the town, being associated with that body at the time of his death. At the last municipal elections he was returned by a large vote, indicating the acceptance with which he had served on that important board.

The late Dr. Smith was a member of the Trinity United Church, of which he was an elder. Prior to church union he was on the Board of Stewards of the former Methodist Church.

In politics he was a Liberal, and formerly he was a member of the Union Lodge, No. 7, A.F. & A.M., The Canadian Order of Foresters and the Independent Order of Oddfellows.

There survive besides his widow, two sons and two daughters, L. O., of Toronto, Newell, at home; Ruth, of Toronto university; and Penelope, at home. Four brothers, C. F. Smith, Harrow, Ont.; W. L. Smith, Mount Hope; E. L. Smith, Hollywood, Cal.; J. Smith, London; and four sisters, Mrs. A. Bessley, Richmond, Va.; Mrs. John Sharpe, Elva, Man.; Mrs. J. Mary, Glanford, Ont.; and Mrs. N. King, Walsworth, Alta., also survive.

The funeral was held from his late residence Paton St., on Wednesday afternoon and residents of the town of Grimsby and surrounding community were present in unusually large numbers to pay their final tribute of respect and regard to an estimable and worthy citizen.

An impressive service was conducted by Rev. E. A. Earchman, minister of Trinity United Church, of which the late Dr. Smith was a leading member, assisted by Rev. J. A. McLachlan, of Hamilton, minister for some years of the former Methodist Church here. Rev. W. E. Hamard, of Toronto, and Rev. Harvey Merritt, of the Grimsby Baptist Church. High tributes were paid to his sterling qualities of character and to his valued service to the community during his long residence here.

Interment was made in Queen's Lawn Cemetery.

The honorary pallbearers were: Dr. R. N. Calder, St. Catharines, Dr. J. N. E. Brown, Dr. Gordon Bowles, Dr. J. Evans, Dr. B. Kilbourne, Toronto, Dr. W. O. Stevenson, Hamilton and Dr. D. Clark, Grimsby. The active pallbearers were: A. M. Shaver, W. L. Smith, J. B. Puddicombe, A. P. Henry, James Theal, and C. W. F. Carpenter. Organizations of which he had been a member as well as numerous friends sent beautiful floral offerings.

COMING EVENT

LUCKY FOR YOU! Friday, April 13, in Trinity Hall at 8 p.m. CONCERT EXTRAORDINARY by the Choir of Trinity United Church. Choruses and an original play, "The Living Magazine."

J. W. Young, of St. Catharines, Died Suddenly

St. Catharines lost a valued servant and a loyal citizen in the sudden death on Friday morning of Assistant Commissioner James W. Young. A citizen of the city for the past thirty years, the sudden passing of Mr. Young came as a severe shock to his wide circle of friends and acquaintances and to his fellow employees at the city hall. A sufferer from heart disease for years, Mr. Young had, however, been in fairly good health of late and had been at his desk daily. His final act at the city hall was in reading a presentation address Friday afternoon to deputy clerk Max Faurt, who left the employ of the city to become clerk and treasurer of Port Colborne.

Mr. Young, accompanied by his granddaughter, Betty Willis, left his home for an Easter trip to Brantford. The two had walked to the Union Bus terminal on St. Paul street and Mr. Young had asked for tickets when he suddenly crumpled to the floor. Medical aid was immediately called but life was extinct.

His only daughter, Mrs. Clara V. Willis, predeceased him in 1928, leaving to survive his wife and granddaughter.

The funeral service was held Monday afternoon from his late home, 23 Gerrard street, to Queen St. Baptist Church, and thence to Victoria Lawn Cemetery.

ROAD PROGRAM HIGHWAY DEPT.

To Expend \$5,000,000 and Employ 25,000 Men.

Plans of the Ontario highways department were launched last week to begin within about a month an extensive program of highway improvement on which about 25,000 men will be employed, with a total expenditure of \$5,000,000.

The program was announced last Friday night by Hon. Leopold Macaulay, provincial highways minister, in a statement that said it would include paving stretches of roadway in the vicinity of Ottawa and Brockville, construction of a new parallel road from Toronto to Allandale, resurfacing existing roads, elimination of ditches on heavily traveled roads and improvement of recently acquired roads.

The department is undertaking the drainage and grading of 124 miles of recently acquired road, including a considerable portion of the Blue Water highway, one section of which lies south of Sarnia and another south of Goderich. Completion of the highway from Galt to Brantford is included.

GRIMSBY ODDFELLOWS EASTERN DANCE

Under the auspices of the Grimsby Oddfellows the Friday - Nite Club orchestra of St. Catharines again visited Grimsby to play for their big Easter dance.

The orchestra was greeted on this occasion by an overflow audience numbering approximately 100 couples, who left the hall in the small hours of the morning thoroughly convinced that this had been the outstanding dance of the season.

So popular have this orchestra become in Grimsby that in spite of the fact that this dance was to be the last of the season the patrons were so enthusiastic in their demands for one more the committee decided to hold another on Wednesday, April 18th. This will positively be the last one.

During the evening a Spot Dance and Drawing were held the lucky winners being for Spot Dance, Miss Tufford, Beamsville, Mr. (Burt) Norton, Grimsby.

The Door Prize was won by Mrs. Cecil Farrow.

The committee at this time wish to thank very kindly those who so graciously helped to make this dance the success it was viz., Cole's Florist who so kindly loaned the plants for table decoration purposes, and also to the ladies who so beautifully decorated the stage.

Much favorable comment was heard on all sides about the beautiful and home-like appearance of the Banquet Hall.

CHIEF DEMILL RESUMES DUTIES

Town Council Reinstates Chief Constable After Suspension Following Alleged Interview With Hamilton Paper.

Mayor McPherson on Tuesday afternoon announced that Police Chief A. Demill had been reinstated by the council following meetings of that body and the police committee of the council called to investigate the circumstances in connection with an alleged interview with Chief Constable Demill which appeared in a Hamilton paper on Thursday last and which led to his suspension by Mayor McPherson pending an inquiry by the council. The article in question had reference to two alleged motor car thieves who had mistakenly been allowed out of the local police cells on Thursday morning last as transients, the suspension being made in connection with statements credited to Chief Demill, at which time Mayor McPherson gave out the following statement:

"Constable Wentworth was off duty at 5 A.M. and Chief Constable Alan Demill released the prisoners along with transients in the morning as is his usual duty. He had no information from anyone nor was there any notice left in the office that there were two prisoners in the cells. In view of the published statements, however, the police committee have deemed it advisable to suspend Chief Demill pending an investigation."

Following his reinstatement the Chief Constable resumed his duties on Wednesday.

The two alleged car thieves referred to above who gave their names as Steve Harbaway, 21, of 60 Crook St., Hamilton and Joe Davino, 21, of 28 Gregg St., Hamilton, who were allowed out with the transients and were a short time after recaptured were arrested by Provincial Constable Bond and lodged in the Grimsby police cells on Thursday last. Constable Bond was awakened shortly after midnight by a crashing of pots in the grasp of C. H. Prudhomme near his home and afterwards saw two men alight, proceed to the highway and make their way westward. Getting out his car he overtook them when they hailed him for a lift to Hamilton. When Officer Bond arrived at Grimsby (Continued on page 5)

T. J. Mahony May Head Milk Board Changes Rumored

Reports of Premier Henry's proposed rearrangement of his cabinet include a rumor that Hon. William Finlayson, minister of lands and forests, is to retire from politics and be appointed a judge of the Ontario supreme court. His department will be grouped with the department of mines, the whole to be known as the department of national resources under Hon. Charles McCrea.

Thomas J. Mahony is reported to be in the premier's mind as chairman of the new milk control board, which will enforce the provisions of the new milk control act.

Other reports are that the government is anxious to have Mr. Mahony remain in his South Westworth riding, where a new Tory candidate might find election difficult.

The milk board chairmanship would carry a salary of about \$4000. Mr. Finlayson would fill the vacancy on the Ontario supreme court bench created by the recent death of Judge Eric Armour.

I.O.D.E. Activities Are Reviewed By Mrs. H. A. Yenny

On the occasion of the observance of the tenth birthday of Lincoln Loyall Chapter, Imperial Order, Daughters of the Empire, held on March 18th, this year, Mrs. H. A. Yenny, one of its founders, gave a very interesting review of the steps which led to its formation and of the accomplishments of the Chapter since its inception.

In view of the worthwhile undertakings carried on by this organization during the past decade, The Independent is pleased to give space to the story of its activities covering this period, prepared by Mrs. Yenny, former regent, which will appear in the next few issues, beginning this week.

Following is the review prepared by Mrs. Yenny and presented on its 10th birthday:

I have been asked to write a short (Continued on Page 5.)

- AWAY BACK WHEN -

By FRANK FAIRBORN, Jr.

This week's article is a hoary peg of nothing. Mrs. Henry Miller, while perusing an old Bible, ran across a newspaper clipping, of the 18th long ago, which takes one farther back in to history and the early pioneer days of this district than I or any other living person, can go, except the immediate family of the person concerned. The clipping is as follows:

"Mrs. Anna Wilson was born in the State of New Jersey, May 1th, 1874, and died at her home in Baltimore, September 20th, 1885. Her father, the late Levi Lewis, Esq., with his family, removed to Canada when she was three or four years of age, and settled at the Fifty Mile Creek. On the 29th December, 1799, she was united in marriage to the late Hugh Wilson, Esq., of precious memory, and who for many years was an earnest and devoted Church Leader and Local Preacher. When only fourteen years of age, Sister Wilson became the subject of converting grace, and united with the Methodist Church, under the faithful ministry of Coleman and Dunham. She was a consistent and devoted member of the Church of Christ and when she died was a member of the same class who had joined nearly sixty-eight years before. She lived to see all her children married and settled in life. And it was her happy privilege to be able to recognize all her family, comprising five sons and eight daughters, as members of the church of her early choice. Three of the number died happy in the Saviour's love, and have entered into rest. Naturally of a retiring disposition, Sister Wilson was prized the most where she was known the best; and in the bosom of her own family her peculiar excellencies of heart and life shone with brightest lustre. In the strictest sense of the term she was a devoted mother, as she was an affectionate wife. To the afflicted and the poor she was a friend indeed; and there are many who will not soon forget her numerous acts of kindness and benevolence. Although at the time of her death, eighty-one years of age,

her faculties remained in almost undiminished vigour, and her dying testimony was in harmony with her consistent and Christian life. Calmly and peacefully she passed away from life on earth, to the higher and nobler life of heaven. "Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His saints." J. H. Starr, Grimsby, C. W., Nov. 17th 1905.

I believe that the Lewis mentioned here are the forefathers of the Lewis family at Winona. Probably George Lewis could give me some further information on this point. In any event the next time I see "Uncle Ed," I'll say the "Squire of the Fifty Mile" I'm going to quiz him.

On morning last week while sojourning in the Sanctum Sanctorum of Y Ed, Alfred Bingle, who resides on the Grassie road and the hottest Tory triculturist on the mountain top, came to place an advertisement in this "rust Moral Educator and Profound builder of Public Opinion. He and I got into an argument about the days gone by. He told me he could remember fairly back then I could. I will grant him that he is older than I am, but here is little touch of human interest that cannot even remember. On that memorable morning in February 1890, when I was so conspicuously ushered in this world of work, grief and relief. A Major Anderson was in the guestroom. Mrs. Major Anderson was Alvin Bingle's grandmother, Major Anderson was her second husband and was retired army officer. At the time the "Blessed Event" occurred he was on the Canadian Customs staff at St. Catharines and commuted night duty between Grimsby and the county town. I still have in my possession a teakwood powder box and puffer puff (boy that sounds bad from he-man) that the good Major present to me. Now then Alfred get up on your hind legs and tell me what you remember about this little squit.

Major Anderson and his old Frau lived in the house that she where

the Culp block, housing The Royal Bank and Culp's Shop now stands. This house was moved to Oak street on the west side and is occupied by Percy Skelton and family. At that time it stood next to the Post Office. H. E. Nellis was Postmaster and lived in the house on Depot street now owned and occupied by the Misses Sotley. Mrs. J. W. Unwin of New York were daughters and Reggie of New York and Dick now deceased were sons. It was in this same building that the first edition of The Independent was published. This building at the time of the erection of the present government building, was removed by D.E. Bwayns to the corner of Charles and Robinson streets and turned into a double house and is still serving that purpose.

After the death of Mr. Nellis for some quite a few years, his sons ran the office. The government changed its coat and the late William Forbes was appointed Postmaster and he removed the office to his own property on the north side of Main street. About one third of the present hardware store of C. P. Brown was the post office proper on the east end. The balance was still a general store conducted by Mr. Forbes, later by the late F. H. Gamble, (and the one-third office was on the west side), and later still by E. S. and R. T. Johnson and then the war started, and for some years I have lost all track of who was in this building. When Mr. Forbes died his daughter Miss Clover, later the wife of Rev. John Muir, carried on the office. Both these people are deceased. Then the new brick edifice was built and the present efficient Postmaster appointed to the position, Mr. David Allen.

Incidentally I might mention that Mr. Bingle's mother was a Bookier, a sister of the late Mrs. (Dr.) Alexander and of Ex-Mayor Bookier, of Hamilton, and I believe direct descendants of the Bookiers of 1812-13 war fame. That's enough for this week.

INQUEST HELD AT GRIMSBY

Jury Finds That Alex. Scatch Died as Result of Injuries Sustained When Struck by Motor Car West of Grimsby.

At an inquest into the death of Alex. Scatch who was fatally injured in a recent highway accident held in the Grimsby council chambers Wednesday afternoon, the following verdict was returned: We, the jury, find that Alex. Scatch died in St. Joseph's Hospital, Hamilton, on or about March 26, 1934 as a result of injuries received when struck by an automobile driven by Raymond Schwerk, Silver Creek, New York, on the King's highway No. 8, about three miles west of the town of Grimsby at approximately 11.30, Sunday, March 18.

Dr. G. A. Sinclair presided as Coroner. The crown was represented by E. Lancaster, of St. Catharines, Crown Attorney, Messrs. Seymour and Sloane represented respectively Mr. Schwerk and the estate of the deceased. Evidence was given by Constable Earle Bond, Beamsville, Gordon Trent, Toronto, Dr. MacMillan, Grimsby, Dr. Ballantyne, of St. Joseph's Hospital, Walter Helms, N. Grimsby, and Raymond Schwerk.

The evidence was to the effect that Scatch had been on the road in the path of Schwerk's car and had been struck. Schwerk returned to the scene of the accident as did Gordon Trent who was travelling westward at the time of the accident and witnessed it. The injured man was then conveyed to the West End Motor Garage, Grimsby, where Dr. MacMillan was called in. Here Schwerk was questioned by police. Schwerk testified that he had been blinded by the lights of approaching cars and had not seen Scatch until three feet from him. Scatch was bending over the bicycle which was stationary on the road. After being hit Scatch was knocked to the side of the road. Both his rubber boots were off and were found some distance away. Schwerk swore that he had had nothing to drink previous to the accident and Officer Bond stated that he had smelled liquor on one of the party but could not state which one. Officer Bond stated also that Schwerk had answered oddly and had to be repeatedly questioned. Trent asserted that right after the accident (Continued on Page 4)

ADDRESS ON GOLD STANDARD

P. L. Robertson, Authority On Question, Addressed Representative Meeting in Masonic Hall—Discusses This Timely Subject.

Over one hundred citizens, representative of the community, assembled in the Masonic Hall on Monday evening to hear an address on the gold standard and its relation to existing conditions given by P. L. Robertson, of Milton, who has made a special study of the financial problems affecting the nations of the world.

The author of an outstanding publication on gold, he gave an enlightening and most instructive review of this much discussed subject during which he declared that the remedy lay in the revaluation and redistribution of this precious commodity which he asserted was universally used.

Mr. Robertson was invited here to speak under the auspices of the Royal Arch Masons of the town. Mr. James A. Wray acted as chairman of the meeting while Mr. C. W. F. Carpenter introduced the speaker.

Preceding the address a most appetizing dinner was served by the members of the Eastern Star.

A system of exchange and barter will not make the nations prosper, emphasized Mr. Robertson. Gold alone, he strongly stressed, supplied the want by which transactions could adequately be concluded, being in universal use, the gold standard having laid the foundation of civilization.

The speaker reviewing the history of gold and its bearing on the prosperity of nations, said that in times of scarcity of gold, business was detrimentally affected while with the discovery of new sources of this precious metal, more prosperous times followed. He contended that in appraising the value of gold, every item of cost should be considered and stated that if all factors were taken into account the cost was \$100 per ounce but it was valued at much less. He said it should be valued at cost of replacement. If governments took over the control of gold it would materially assist in solving present difficulties. The gold standard, he declared, had never failed us and the nations could get back to a sound monetary basis through this medium.

Mr. H. B. Fonger expressed the appreciation of the gathering to Mr. Robertson for his informing address.

Several vocal numbers were enthusiastically sung by Mr. Jack Ansell.

TELEPHONE BRIDGE

The I. O. D. E. Bridge Club held a Telephone Bridge, Wednesday evening, April 4th, when the following ladies were hostesses at their respective homes: Mrs. R. N. Wolfenden, Mrs. Moll, Mrs. T. B. Phillips, Mrs. C. VanDyke, Mrs. Ken Baxter, Mrs. Norman Merritt, Mrs. P. E. Tregunna, Mrs. J. H. Culp, Mrs. Home and Mrs. Allan Smith.

Twenty-three tables were in play and the following were prize winners: Contract, Ladies' 1st, Mrs. T. Phillips, low, Mrs. John Merritt; Gent's, 1st, Mr. T. R. Hunter, low, Sam Young. In auction, Ladies', 1st, Mrs. Howard low, Mrs. C. Bell, Gent's, 1st, D. E. Anderson, low, C. H. Walker.

Prizes are on display at the Hughetta Beauty Parlor. Winners will kindly call there for their prizes, several of which have been donated by members of the chapter.

BANQUET GRIMSBY PEACH KINGS

Winners of Group No. 7 Presented With Handsome Trophy—Also Receive Sweaters—Happy Function Held at Village Inn.

A happy event took place at the Village Inn on Wednesday evening when a banquet was tendered the Grimsby Peach Kings, winners of Group No. 7, by Niagara Packers Limited who operate the arena and the Grimsby Hockey Club, about two score sitting down to the fine turkey dinner provided and most appetizingly served.

Mr. Charles H. Farrell, president of the Amateur Athletic Association very acceptably presided and following the dinner hour a number of toasts were honored.

Mr. George Marr, in proposing the toast to Group Seven in which the Grimsby Peach Kings were the winners this year, paid high tribute to the splendid showing made by all of the teams comprising the group and noted the harmonious relationship which had existed between the various teams. Many interesting games had been provided during the successful season recently concluded.

Mrs. Thompson of Dunnville who with Mr. Thompson were among the guests present, in a happy speech, presented the handsome trophy, donated by herself for competition in Group Seven, to the Grimsby Peach Kings, winners of the trophy this year, it being accepted on behalf of the Peach Kings by "Rafe" Stone. Desiring to encourage this fine pastime she said she had conceived the idea of offering the trophy to be competed for in group seven and she expressed her admiration of the laudable way in which the games had been carried through and the sportsmanship shown throughout by the various teams of the group.

The toast to the Peach Kings was happily proposed by Mr. Earl Marsh, general manager of the Niagara Packers, who own and operate the Grimsby Arena. Reviewing the season's activities he also took occasion to pay his tribute to the sportsmanship exhibited and to the splendid way in which the Peach Kings had eventually won their way through to the championship of Group seven. He afterwards performed the pleasing task of presenting handsome sweaters to each member of the Grimsby team, as well to others who had assisted in contributing to the success of the season. Included in the presentations were special gifts to "Dad" Farrell, coach of the team and to the secretary of the local hockey club, C. D. Millyard, the former taking occasion to pay his tribute to the splendid showing made by the Grimsby team and the fine spirit exhibited throughout the games played.

The presentations were concluded with three hearty cheers and a tiger for the victorious Grimsby Peach Kings.

Mr. W. Gains of Dunnville who was in charge of the schedules arranged in Group seven, also spoke briefly. Rousing community singing was led by C. D. Millyard adding to the pleasure of the evening.

The gathering dispersed following the singing of the national anthem.

DIED AT ST. CATHARINES

Niagara District Masons mourn the loss of their oldest member, George Burch, beloved husband of Agnes W. Burch, who died on Thursday evening at his home in St. Catharines. Mr. Burch, who was in his 92nd year, was widely known throughout the district as a Mason, a member of St. Paul Street United Church, St. Catharines, and a former industrialist.

The late Mr. Burch went to St. Catharines 60 years ago and was one of the founders of the firm of Collinson and Burch.

The funeral was held on Monday with interment in Victoria Lawn Cemetery.

The Financial Report of the Town of Grimsby for the year 1933, duly certified to as correct by the town's auditors, Messrs. Boyd and Shepard, appears on pages 2 and 3 of this issue.

COMING EVENT

DANCE — In Smithville Temple, Friday, April 6th. Modern and Old Time Dancing. Music by Tom Bailey and his Orchestra. Admission 25 cents. Clifford Hodgins, Manager.

Financial Report of the Town of Grimsby For the Year 1933

COMMUNICATION

The following communication received by Frank Fairborn Jr. who contributed the column, "Away Back When", appearing each week in The Independent and which is attracting wide attention, will be of much interest to our readers:

Frank Fairborn,
Independent,
Grimsby, Ont. Canada.

Dear Frank Fairborn:
It seems to me that your name is familiar in that you wrote under this name in a paper that Jim Livingston started in Hamilton in the early 1900's. And in all these hundreds of miles away think I could produce an old copy.

My sister Mrs. Nelson, sent me a copy of the Independent which had an account of her two sons, mighty interesting.

Newspaper business must run in the family. One of my own sons who was educated at the Grimsby High School, edits and prints a small paper in Imperial Valley, that hole in the ground 220 feet below sea level, once a desert, but now a huge garden from which are shipped thousands of cars of cotton, melons, lettuce, peas etc. where it is very often 120 degrees in the shade, and no shade, where you put your sheets in the ice box all day, so that they may be a little cool at night, where the hoboes fry their eggs in grease on the steel of the rail roads, a good place notwithstanding, Jack got gassed in the Argonne, in the World War and it suits his lungs. Dave the other boy, who was born in the old Hare place, next to Adolphus Pettit's, got his in that same little fun too.

He and John Cline, used to work on neighboring ranches, John works for Mary Pickford, curious for my fruit farm at Winslow and that of George Cline were close together.

Have had several Grimsby visitors since living here, Mrs. Frank Carpenter, was the latest, Charlie Walker, of the Sugar Bowl in Hamilton, and his family, Billy McConnell, but they all live in Glendale near Los Angeles. Khan Kernighan used to write of the Tipples in the Herald years ago (of Ancaster), not very flattering either, but a most charming lady of that name from Ancaster was at the house the other day.

It does not seem long since in 1908 I met Jim Livingston at the old Mansion House, (how I'd like one of those good schooners of lager right now) scored off Jim too, introduced by "Shack" Mabey, he asked "what do you weigh?" being just out from England I said 2 stone (154 lbs.) What Ben Hill is a stone? My answer was, you should know, for did not they call you Mr. Livingstone.

Your "Away Back When" is most interesting, remember those names up to 25 years ago, date of "Basket" Carpenter's fire is correct, my old farm ledger, shows it. then John Groat rebuilt and took it over.

Congratulations on your paper.

Yours truly,
John Palmer Keep.
P. S. Jack served his time with the Hamilton Times.

NOTE:- You are right Mr. Keep. Jan. A. Livingston was "Frank Fairborn" and the present writer is the oldest offspring of "Jan. A." Mr. Keep had a fruit farm on Burton St. and his brother Nigel Keep lived in one part of the double house on Depot street now owned by J. H. Wells. Both gentlemen are brothers of Mrs. Nelson of Mountain street. The George Cline farm is the present C.W.F. Carpenter farm on the Niagara Highway west of the town. The Hamilton paper referred to was The Morning Post, started in the Ambitious City in 1900 by Jan. A. Livingston and was published a little less than a year. The Hare property spoken of by Mr. Keep was a fine large stone house occupied for years by Dr. Donald Clarke, which burned down some years ago. This house was situated on the highway about two hundred yards west of Ker-man avenue. A new brick house now owned by Mr. Marshall occupies the site. Thanks a lot Mr. Keep.—F. F. Jr.

EARLY PEACH ORCHARD IS BEING REMOVED

One of the earliest peach orchards in the Queenston district is being removed by the Niagara Parks Commission. It has been announced. Some interesting information regarding the first peach orchard in this area has been submitted by C. R. Morden. Mr. Morden states that the oldest peach orchard in the Niagara district was on the Barton and Dunning farm in Stamford in 1865. It was the largest peach orchard at that time in all Canada, covering about five acres. The trees were cut down in 1877 on account of a disease called the "yellows".

TOWN OF GRIMSBY

BALANCE SHEET

December 31st, 1933

ASSETS	
Current Assets—	
Bank, Current Account	\$ 1,455.69
Bank, Cemetery Account	215.43
Bank, Bond Trust Savings	125.28
Bank, Waterworks Account	311.48
Bank, Unemployment Relief	157.55
	\$ 2,265.43
Accounts Receivable—	
Arrears of Taxes	\$ 33,309.77
Taxes, 1933, Uncollected	21,271.93
Total Taxes Unpaid	54,581.70
Water Consumers Account	2,483.57
Cemetery Accounts	4,390.12
Sundry Accounts	33.09
Capital Accounts Receivable,	
Sanitary House Connections	608.10
	\$ 71,967.40
	\$ 74,232.83
Mortgage Receivable—	
Dunrobin Distillery Co., Plus Interest	11,245.54
Niagara Packers Limited	2,500.00
Grimsby Stove and Furnace, Sales Agreement	2,630.00
	\$ 16,375.54
Cemetery Investment Fund—	
Loan To Town	2,500.00
Bonds, Township of Scarborough	2,500.00
Bonds, Province of Ontario	1,500.00
Bonds, Dominion of Canada	700.00
Bonds, Province of Manitoba	500.00
	\$ 6,700.00
Properties Acquired, Tax Sales—	
Vacant Land etc., Value Tax Arrears	\$ 19,712.51
Capital Assets, Depreciated—	
Cemetery Tool House and Contents	641.56
Office Furniture and Equipment	1,020.39
Board of Works, Tools and Machinery	708.63
Fire Fighting Equipment	739.97
Board of Works, Horses, Wagons, etc.	1,625.01
Cemetery Lots, Unsold	11,946.58
Town Hall	4,992.77
Victoria Park	7,500.00
Orchard Lane Property	2,500.00
Elizabeth St., Part Lot	100.00
Waterworks	142,972.04
Walks, Pavements and Bridges	85,096.12
High School Property	81,794.22
Public School Property	40,911.41
Sewers	130,640.47
Disposal Plant	31,236.48
Sundry Equipment	1,827.61
	\$ 947,141.23
	\$ 968,561.29

LIABILITIES

Current Liabilities—	
Bank Loan, Current Account	\$ 60,000.00
County Lincoln, 1933 Rate	\$ 27,049.71
Balance 1932 Rate	11,746.05
Accrued Interest	1,316.17
	\$ 99,111.93
County of Lincoln, Cost of County	
Equalization Assessment, Accrued and Unpaid	1,943.95
County of Lincoln, Balance on Street	
Work, Less Road Rebate Allowance	24.85
Unemployment Relief Fund	125.28
Bond Trust Fund	125.28
Transient Trader's Licenses	232.50
	\$ 102,580.10
Fined Liabilities—	
Cemetery Loan To Town	2,500.00
Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund	4,772.43
	\$ 8,272.43
Debiture Debt—	
Industrials	8,356.44
Waterworks	53,675.16
Local Improvement	44,738.31
High School	91,454.71
Public Schools	5,877.39
Sewers	122,902.49
Disposal Plant	32,101.63
	\$ 366,097.23
Surplus—	
Ratepayers Investment	182,908.37
Surplus, Waterworks	2,795.85
	\$ 185,704.22
	\$ 668,561.29

TOWN OF GRIMSBY

ABSTRACT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

From January 1st, 1933 to December 31st, 1933

RECEIPTS	
Balance on hand, January 1st, 1933	\$ 1,768.72
Taxes—	
Arrears	\$ 18,858.16
Taxes, 1933	77,250.88
Poll Tax	300.00
Dog Tax	285.25
	\$ 96,674.29
General Revenue—	
Penalties on Taxes	393.81
Licenses	352.25
Fees, Building, etc.	50.25
Fines	351.75
Interest and Exchange	97.00
Interest on Mortgages	150.00
Cemetery Revenue Interest	177.41
Cemetery Calls Recovered	19.11
Telephone Calls Recovered	39.20
Charity	92
Police Committee Expense	16.30
Board of Works, Wages	122.00
Board of Works, Supplies	31.47
Arena Receipts	200.00
Transient Trader's Licenses	9.00
Joint Fire Department, Recovered	50
Sundries	50
	\$ 1,916.97
Joint Fire Department—	
Township of North Grimsby	\$ 1,063.37
Accounts Receivable—	
Cemetery Accounts	\$ 1,130.77
Province, Pest Inspection	24.00
Province, Railway Tax	22.25
Relief Committee, on Advances	650.00
	\$ 1,817.15
Capital Account—	
Bank Loans	\$ 105,000.00
Transfers from Water Commission	9,700.00
	\$ 114,700.00
Total Receipts	\$ 216,165.70
	\$ 217,934.50

EXPENDITURES

Salaries—	
Schedule "A"	\$ 5,390.20
Council Fees—	
Schedule "B"	815.00
Board of Works, Wages and Expense—	
Schedule "C"	5,009.71
Cemetery Wages and Expense—	
Schedule "D"	1,152.82
Board of Health—	
Schedule "E"	478.78
General Expense—	
Schedule "F"	41,717.74
Sewer and Disposal Expense—	
Schedule "G"	1,052.62
Grants—	
Schedule "H"	12,247.00
Total Operating Expenses	\$ 69,908.87
Capital Accounts—	
Township of North Grimsby Award	454.00
County of Lincoln on 1933 Rate	11,000.00
Debiture Principal	27,374.34
Bank Loans	106,000.00
Advances to Relief Committee	1,000.00
Sanitary House Connections	
Charged on Taxes	40.00
	\$ 146,468.34
Fined Assets—	
Tools, Mower	15.00
Cemetery Tools, Mower	16.50
Office Equipment	17.00
Properties, Tax Sale, Lands Cost of Deeds etc.	97.00
	\$ 106.10
Total Expenditures	\$ 216,478.31
Balance on hand, December 31st, 1933	1,455.69
	\$ 217,934.00

TOWN OF GRIMSBY

EXPENDITURES

SCHEDULE "A"

Salaries—	
Bourne, G. G. Clerk and Treasurer	\$ 1,110.00
Hummell, A. Clerk	430.25
Muir, E. J. Assessor	247.50
Andrews, F. W. Tax Collector	444.05
Chivers, A. J. Building Inspector	35.00
Boyd and Shepard, Audit, 1933	73.00
Boyd and Shepard, Audit, 1932	275.00
Dumil, A. Chief Constable	1,504.65
Westworth, Jas. Constable	854.09
Henderson, A. Constable	80.00
Extra Police	9.00
Pearn, E. Caretaker	185.00
	\$ 5,390.20

SCHEDULE "B"

Council Fees—	
Wilkins, P. E. Mayor	170.00
Magg, H. G. Reeve	125.00
Council Members	520.00
	\$ 815.00

SCHEDULE "C"

Board of Works, Wages and Expense—	
Laurie, J. M.	840.00
Robertson, R.	83.50
Bewell, G.	500.83
Shavallier, J. H.	235.00
Merritt, D. P.	608.70
Henderson, A.	82.00
Sundry Wages, Quarries	73.00
Sundry Wages, General	200.90
Total Wages	2,965.84
Expense and Supplies	2,079.87
	\$ 5,045.71

SCHEDULE "D"

Cemetery, Wages and Expense—	
Wedge, R.	1,066.06
Sundry Wages	4.00
Total Wages	1,072.06
Expense	80.90
	\$ 1,152.82

SCHEDULE "E"

Board of Health—	
MacMillan, Dr. J. H. M. H. O.	400.00
Westworth, Jas. Sanitary Inspector	25.00
Chivers, A. J. Chairman	25.78
General Expense	
	\$ 478.78

SCHEDULE "F"

General Expense—	
Light and Water	\$ 2,352.91
Fuel	88.50
Hydrant Rental	2,940.00
Joint Fire Department	1,282.70
Insurance	385.30
Workmen's Compensation	584.79
Railway Crossing Expense	364.32
Balliff, Juror's and Reg. Fees	119.10
Poll and Dog Tax, Collection Fees	28.15
Pest Inspection	43.00
County Assessment, Appeal Fees	44.50
Sewer and Gas Inspection Fees	43.89
Municipal Election Expense	231.79
Property Committee Expense	49.10
Police Committee Expense	234.21
Legal Expenses, General	196.25
Legal Expenses, Mohan vs. Town	2,000.00
Debiture Interest	22,355.82
Interest and Bank Charges	4,244.70
Printing, Stationery and Office	490.90
Charity	890.03
Traveling	87.10
Telephone	184.05
Fines and Refunds	10.05
Cemetery Accounts and Labor	13.50
Rent	300.00
Cemetery Revenue, Interest	42.42
Municipal and Good Roads Assn.	33.00
Sundry Expense	38.85
	\$ 41,717.74

SCHEDULE "G"

Sewer and Disposal Expense—	
Smith, W. E. Salary	180.00
Wages, General	126.50
Power, Light and Water	1,041.85
Supplies and Repairs	294.27
	\$ 1,552.62

SCHEDULE "H"

Grants—	
Board of Education	12,000.00
Public Library	1,150.00
Horticultural Society	5.00
Protestant Home, St. Catharines	10.00
Business Men's Assn., No Golf Hand	82.00
	\$ 13,247.00

TOWN OF GRIMSBY

UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF FUND

Receipts—	
Balance on hand, January 1st, 1933	9.90
Loans, Town of Grimsby	\$ 1,000.00
Contributions	528.57
Ontario Government Grants	1,863.00
Total Receipts	\$ 3,391.47
Expenditures—	
Paid on Town Loan	\$ 650.00
Relief Expenditures	2,444.57
Total Expenditures	\$ 3,094.57
Balance on hand, December 31st, 1933	296.90
	\$ 3,388.37

TOWN OF GRIMSBY

WATER COMMISSION

ABSTRACT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

From January 1st, 1933 to December 31st, 1933

Receipts	
Balance on hand, January 1st, 1933	\$ 5.12
Water Consumers	\$ 20,300.54
Less Cash Discounts	761.00
Supplies Sold	19,548.64
Interest Earned	3.25
Telephone Calls Recovered	2.48
Capital Supplies Sold	5.10
Accounts Receivable, Wages & Supplies	15.00
Refund Gasoline Tax	18.00
Water Rate Arrears, Recovered	6.00
	17.00
Total Receipts	\$ 19,616.19
	\$ 19,621.31

Expenditures	
Bourne, G. G. Clerk and Treasurer	\$ 558.00
Hummell, A. Assistant	192.00
Smith, W. E.	1,208.75
Pettit, W. L.	1,564.74
Hewson, H.	1,564.74
Clarke, T.	475.18
Henderson, A.	142.50
Sundry Wages	30.00
	\$ 4,768.26

General Expense—	
Supplies	\$ 728.62
Freight	60.55
Repairs	200.41
Light and Power	2,447.21
Fuel	184.43
Office Expense and Postage	111.25
Audit Balance, 1932	53.00
Audit, 1933	73.00
Motor Truck Expense	126.08
Telephone	88.63
Insurance	30.00
Workmen's Compensation	136.00
Refund to Consumers	1.67
Sundry Expense	79.03
Capital Expenditures—	
Meters	217.00
Fittings, etc.	21.50
Heating Equipment	81.51
	\$ 321.00
Total Expenditures	\$ 5,089.26
Transfers—	
Transferred to Town Current Account	\$ 5,708.00
Balance in Bank, December 31st, 1933	\$ 19,312.80
	\$ 311.45
	\$ 19,624.25

TOWN OF GRIMSBY

BOARD OF EDUCATION

ABSTRACT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

From January 1st, 1933 to December 31st, 1933

Receipts	
Balance on hand, January 1st, 1933	\$ 500.39
Grants, High School—	
County of Lincoln, Balance 1932	\$ 5,061.12
County of Lincoln, 1931, Rebate	2,009.05
County of Lincoln, 1932, Interim	5,500.00
Province of Ontario	1,304.95
	\$ 13,806.15
Grants, Public School—	
County of Lincoln, Library	7.26
Province of Ontario, Manual Training	96.00
Province of Ontario, Domestic Science	163.00
Province of Ontario, Teacher's Salaries	1,568.77
Province of Ontario, Arts	16.00
Province of Ontario, Kindergarten	22.00
Province of Ontario, Music	16.00
	\$ 1,994.12
Town of Grimsby—	
Tax Roll, 1933	\$ 12,000.00
Sundry Revenue, High School—	
Examination Fees	\$ 214.87
Rent of Gymnasium	40.00
Rent of Auditorium	10

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE TOWN OF GRIMSBY FOR THE YEAR 1933

TOWN OF GRIMSBY
BOARD OF EDUCATION
ABSTRACT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
From January 1st, 1933 to December 31st, 1933
SCHEDULE "A"
Expenditures High School

Salaries—	
Jackson, J. B.	\$ 1,500.00
Clarry, A. R.	1,040.00
Lemay, Mrs. G. M.	1,744.00
Talbot, Miss C. M.	1,744.00
Wood, R. W.	1,744.00
Chase, Miss M.	1,000.00
McQuade, Miss M.	600.00
	\$ 11,562.00
Less Superannuation Fee 2%	230.00
	\$ 11,332.00
Supply Teachers	45.00
Total Teachers Salaries	\$ 11,377.00
Muir, E. J. Secretary	60.00
Sponser, S. Caretaker	60.00
	\$ 12,572.00
Expenses—	
Pupil Supplies	101.55
General Supplies	178.40
Repairs Building	187.04
Light and Water	262.51
Office Supplies	11.65
Fuel	544.96
Telephone	34.50
Insurance	1.25
Bank Charges	37.45
Typing	10.44
Advertising	178.00
Presiding Examiners	1.00
O. L. A. Association Fee	54.75
Sports Expenses	10.00
Laundry	54.83
Cafeteria	23.73
Agricultural Supplies	300.00
Legal Expenses, re-School Act	12.50
Attendance Officer	20.00
Sundry Expenses	20.00
	\$ 2,117.55
Total High School Expenditures	\$ 14,689.45

SCHEDULE "B" Expenditures Public School

Salaries—	
Foreman, J. H.	\$ 1,104.00
Griffith, T. K.	640.00
Evans, Miss K.	1,050.00
Lymburner, Miss A.	960.00
Walker, Miss R.	960.00
Wilkins, Miss D.	960.00
Hope, Miss I.	960.00
Coon, Miss D.	960.00
Walker, Miss V.	960.00
Rolfe, Miss V.	960.00
	\$ 9,364.00
Less Superannuation Fee 2%	234.02
	\$ 9,129.98
Supply Teachers	140.00
Total Teachers Salaries	\$ 9,269.98
Muir, E. J. Secretary	60.00
Hensley, S. Caretaker	60.00
School Nurse	160.00
Musical Instructor	400.00
	\$ 10,829.98
Expenses—	
Pupil Supplies	\$ 225.73
General Supplies	122.73
Repairs Building	175.16
Light and Water	187.53
Fuel	626.95
Office Supplies	11.65
Telephone	10.35
Insurance	37.50
Bank Charges	37
Manual Training	133.80
Domestic Science	177.66
Advertising	3.84
Music Supplies	32.40
O. L. A. Association Fee	1.00
Attendance Officer	12.50
Sundry Expenses	8.00
	\$ 1,740.21
Total Public School Expenditures	\$ 12,570.19

TOWN OF GRIMSBY BOARD OF EDUCATION STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENSE From October 20th, 1932 to April 30th, 1933 VOCATIONAL NIGHT SCHOOL

Revenue—	
Grant, Ontario Government	\$ 145.39
Pupils, Fees, Retained	48.00
County of Lincoln, Accrued and unpaid cost of County Pupils	54.26
Total Revenue	\$ 247.65
Expenses—	
Teachers Salaries	200.00
Caretaker	24.00
Secretary	20.00
Office Expenses	1.79
Pupil Supplies	7.95
General Supplies	6.85
Total Expense	\$ 260.59
Deficit for Period	\$ 101.13
Carried to Deficit Account	
Town of Grimsby, Proportion of Cost	\$ 101.13
	101.13

TOWN OF GRIMSBY PUBLIC LIBRARY ABSTRACT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES From January 1st, 1933 to December 31st, 1933

Receipts	
Balance on hand, January 1st, 1933	\$ 115.30
Grants—	
Town of Grimsby	\$ 1,150.00
Township of North Grimsby	600.00
Province of Ontario	145.39
	\$ 1,895.39
Other Revenue—	
Cards and Fines	56.99
Pay Shelf	115.90
	\$ 182.79
Total Receipts	\$ 2,078.18
Expenditures	
Books, New	\$ 541.47
Periodicals	82.95
Rebinding, Books	126.20
Light and Fuel	316.44
Supplies and Expenses	72.83
Express and Carriage	13.71
Office Expense and Postage	8.82
O. L. A. Expense	2.09
Repair and Improvements	23.45
Sundry Expense	5.25
Total Expenditures	\$ 1,192.95
Balance on hand, December 31st, 1933	\$ 4.84
Cash on hand	55.09
Balance in bank	\$ 50.93
	\$ 2,164.38

Niagara District Spray Service Much The Same As Last Year

The Niagara district spray service for 1934 will be much the same as that of 1933. Circular letters containing timely information on spraying will be sent out and there will be no supervisors for visiting growers. Those who received this service last year will be considered as desiring to receive it for 1934 and will not need to make application for it.

For peach leaf curl and San Jose scale peaches should be sprayed at the earliest opportunity and any time the temperature is at 36 degrees or higher is considered safe. This spray should be completed before the buds swell. Use lime sulphur, 1-7 or a 3 per cent. lubricating oil emulsion in 3-4-40 Bordeaux mixture. In orchards where red mite was troublesome last year the oil emulsion in Bordeaux mixture should be used.

In order to keep black knot of plums in check all infections should be cut off the trees immediately and burned.

Growers should be prepared to spray for pear psylla insect at an early date, the correct time for which will be announced later.

The severe winter has not affected San Jose scale as much as was anticipated and consequently all apple orchards in the Niagara peninsula should therefore be prepared by having the necessary spray materials on hand in good time.

Too much importance cannot be given to timely spraying for satisfactory control of the various pests and anything which would retard the early sprays should be given careful attention. Good drainage of an orchard is one point which should be given special notice. All surface drains should be kept in good condition and all tile drain outlets should be functioning properly if the early sprays are to be applied on time.

SEEDS AVAILABLE FOR SCHOOL FAIRS

An outline of the seeds available for school fairs is being sent out from the agricultural office St. Catharines to all teachers. The seeds include 12 varieties of grains and vegetables and nine varieties of flowers. Each pupil taking part in school fair work may obtain a package of each and from these exhibits will be grown for fairs in September. The inspectors are co-operating with the agricultural representative in sponsoring the fairs and the educational department is again purchasing the seed this year. Trophies and books are again being donated by the T. Eaton Co. for the three pupils winning the highest number of points at each fair. Applications for seeds are to be returned to the agricultural office by March 23 after which reorganization meetings will be held in the townships.

WITNESS FROM NORTH GRIMSBY HAD EXPENSES PAID BY CROWN

John Martin, Ukrainian, a former resident in the Province of Saskatchewan and recently residing with a family in North Grimsby received a subpoena from the Royal Canadian Mounted Police last week to appear as a crown witness in a serious case to be tried in Assiniboia, Sask., on Tuesday, March 20th. Being short of funds to make the trip no wire to the registrar who had signed the writ and reported his circumstances. Word came back from the registrar guaranteeing the funds and on Wednesday of last week R.C.M. Police visited him and took him to Hamilton where arrangements were made for his 3,300 mile trip to Saskatchewan, the expenses being borne by the crown.

Try the Classified Column of The Independent. You will get results.

Salaries and Wages—	
Salary, Librarian	\$ 900.00
Salary, Assistant	21.50
Salary, Secretary	50.00
Wages, Caretaker	180.00
	\$ 911.50

General Expense—	
Books, New	\$ 541.47
Periodicals	82.95
Rebinding, Books	126.20
Light and Fuel	316.44
Supplies and Expenses	72.83
Express and Carriage	13.71
Office Expense and Postage	8.82
O. L. A. Expense	2.09
Repair and Improvements	23.45
Sundry Expense	5.25
Total Expenditures	\$ 1,192.95

Balance on hand, December 31st, 1933	\$ 4.84
Cash on hand	55.09
Balance in bank	\$ 50.93

Balance Sheet and Accompanying Statements certified to as correct.
BOYD and SHEPARD, Auditors.
PER, G. E. BOLTON.

LINCOLN COUNTY MUSIC FESTIVAL

Entries Close Next Saturday —
Dates Announced For Contest.

There will be two preliminaries and a final contest. The first preliminary will be held in St. Catharines on Wednesday, April 18th where contestants from the east end of the county will compete in classes in Part 1 as well as Part 2, the latter being open to contestants coming from any part of the Province, but this has been the first year that Part 2 has been open. It is not expected there will be as many taking part as in coming years therefore those living in the Niagara Peninsula should take full advantage of this opportunity, as competition will no doubt be much keener in years to come when the Lincoln County Festival becomes better known.

The second preliminary will be held in Smithville on Thursday, April 19th, and contestants from the west end of the county will compete there. The highest in the preliminaries will compete in the finals at Beamsville on Saturday, April 21st. Reports would indicate that the Festival idea is receiving the interests of many more people in the county and district this year as others who are capable of taking part become acquainted with the fundamental principle which is so well illustrated by the motto of the Festival committee "They do not beat each other, but pace each other towards perfection."

The trophies and prize committee have been working hard during the past few weeks and trophies are being secured in the various classes in the syllabus which were added for the first time this year.

In many classes gold and silver medals will be awarded and certificates of merit signed by the Adjudicators at the Festival provided contestants qualify according to the following standards:

90% and over, first class certificate.

70 to 79%, second class certificate.

60 to 69%, third class certificate.

If the number to enter in the finals are such as to require more time than the one day, part of these finals will be held on Friday the 20th in the Community Hall, Beamsville. Entry forms which are attached to the syllabus may be secured from members of the committee or from the Agricultural Office at St. Catharines, Welland, Cayuga and Hamilton, or at the county town in adjoining counties for those outside the Niagara Peninsula.

The officers and members of the executive committees for the various townships, villages, city of St. Catharines, etc. are as follows:

Niagara: Mrs. E. H. Brennan, Mrs. Jas. Caselman, Mrs. C. H. E. Smith. Grimsby: Mrs. Edwin Secord, Miss A. Ogden. Louth: Mrs. P. W. Burton, Mr. W. A. Bell. Clinton: Mrs. C. Tallman, Mrs. J. C. Thompson. Gainsboro: Mr. Elwood Comfort, Mrs. Ben Headlip.

Grimsby: Mr. G. L. Eaton, Mr. F. W. Timma, Mr. W. E. Cullingford. South Grimsby: Mrs. L. Hurst, Mrs. Clifford Parker.

Caledon: Mrs. A. E. Meyer, Mrs. Walter Green. Merriton: Mr. Tuckwell, Mr. Jan. Shee.

St. Catharines: Mr. W. T. Thompson, Mrs. W. H. Kadwell, Mr. Harold Holgate, Mr. Douglas Campbell, Mr. Clarence Colton, Mrs. Donald MacDonald.

Port Dalhousie: Mrs. White, Mr. A. C. Ferguson. Smithville: Miss Mae Cooley. Beamsville: Mrs. J. B. Stallwood.

Officers

Hon. Pres.—Hon. J. D. Chaplin, Hon. E. C. Graves, Hon. S. J. Wilson. President—Mrs. Chas. Blundell. Vice-Pres.—Mr. A. C. Hannaboe. Secy-Treas.—Mrs. C. P. Glass. Assistant Secy-Treas.—Mrs. C. S. Rickers.

No Relaxation of Highway Speed Limit For Some Years

The highway speed limit in Ontario will not be relaxed for several years at least, according to Hon. Leopold Macaulay, Minister of Highways, in an address at the twenty-seventh annual dinner of the Ontario Motor League in the Royal York Hotel, Toronto, the other night. The Minister did say definitely, however, that the improving accident record might make it possible to relax the law "within a very few years."

The statement of Mr. Macaulay becomes an answer to a resolution adopted by the league directors and affiliated club delegates at the afternoon session to the effect that they favor abolition of the existing speed limit of 35 miles an hour.

Most of the arguments against a 35-mile-an-hour limit are equally justified when applied to a 45 or 50 mile limit," declared Mr. Macaulay. "If and when the laws are relaxed in this respect, it would be desirable though possibly not practicable, to abrogate a speed limit in favor of the rule of safety and reasonableness."

HOCKEY SEASON A WONDERFUL SUCCESS

Editor Independent,
Grimsby, Ont.

Dear Sir:

The hockey season for 1934 is over and the world is waiting for the sunrise after a long hard winter. From the standpoint of hockey has it not been a wonderful success and I am sure we all sincerely hope the management of the arena has found the season to their liking.

But as usual the same old "Belly Hoo" breaks out as to why the price of admission is raised for playoff series, why? Because no doubt the rink management requires it and it is the usual procedure all over the country in playoff games. The community and citizens who have followed the team all season and a whole lot more who should have but did not follow them have enjoyed a thrilling season for 35c a game and on one occasion a game packed full of thrills starting at eight thirty and winding up at one o'clock the next morning for 30c.

The team itself has given every ounce of blood they had to become a winning team and they certainly achieved their aim and not one red cent was paid to the boys for this work but when the management is afraid of facing a possible deficit and tack on about 15 cents more a big howl goes up. It's a well known fact that every rink in the country is in the hands of the court or facing foreclosure by the parties holding the mortgage. This statement is backed up by facts and these rinks are not artificial either, just wooden structures. We have an arena with a sure thing that we have ice winter or summer. This same old hokey that crops up each year as to prices should be burnt up and left buried. I am sure with the way this present management has handled affairs for the past two years their can be no question raised as to their actions.

Let us pull together on all matters of a community nature. It will pay in the long run. We are only a small town with one of the best hockey teams in Ontario and I am not covering too much territory.

Yours truly,
Round Tower.

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Vineland Station, Ont.

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County Humane Society Elects Its Officers For The Year

Lincoln County Humane Society new officers are: Honorary President, Hon. James D. Chaplin, M. P. Honorary Vice-Presidents—Judge J. S. Campbell, K.C.; Mayor Fred H. Avery; E. C. Graves, M.P.P.; Mrs. R. W. Leonard, Mrs. Kendrick Dunn, Mrs. Wood, Miss F. E. Eccles, Mrs. D. Muir; General C. M. Nelles, Niagara-on-the-Lake. President—Dr. L. Wenden. Vice-presidents—J. D. Wright, Mrs. N. Wade and Miss B. Clark. Secretary—Mrs. R. A. Plato. Treasurer—A. E. Mix. Honorary Manager—E. I. Lorenson. Junior work—Rev. F. J. T. Maimon. Press reporter—Mrs. D. Mackey. Members of Executive—Port Dalhousie, Mrs. R. Y. White; Niagara-on-the-Lake, Mrs. C. H. E. Smith; Grimsby, Mrs. R. N. Wolfenden; Beamsville, President of the Women's Institute; Thorold, Mrs. A. Martin Jr.; Merriton, Miss Doreen West; St. Catharines, R. A. Plato, J. H. Dobble. Representing Rotary Club—C. E. Sherwood. Representing Klansmen Club—Miss A. Shaw, Mrs. B. N. Trapnell, Mrs. G. Toney, Mrs. H. B. Burgoyne, Mrs. J. G. FitzGerald, Dr. H. Wenden, Mrs. C. E. H. Thomas, Mrs. C. E. Sherwood.

WINTER TEMPERATURE AND THE SAN JOSE SCALE

There is a general impression among fruitgrowers that the San Jose scale has been wiped out, or at least reduced to insignificant numbers by the abnormally low winter temperatures, but this is far from being the case. A random sample of scale infested wood, taken from an old apple orchard in the Vineland-Campden district, was brought into the laboratory last week, and the scale insects were examined under a microscope. Rather to our astonishment, the winter mortality was not very high—out of a total of 616 insects, 238, that is 38.6% were alive. In view of this, there should be no let up this spring in our efforts to control San Jose scale. All pear, peach, sweet cherry and plum trees should be given the first spray recommended in the Ontario spray calendar. In the Niagara peninsula and in other districts where peaches can be grown commercially, all apple orchards should receive the scale spray, and by all we mean those orchards in which no scale was observed last year. In other parts of the province, the scale spray may be omitted safely only in those orchards where the insect has never been seen or where it has not been found in recent years.

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Treasurer's Sale of Lands for Taxes

Township of North Grimsby,
 County of Lincoln.

Notice is hereby given that the list of lands liable to be sold for arrears of taxes or rates in the Township of North Grimsby has been prepared and is being published in an advertisement in the Ontario Gazette upon the 10th, 17th and 24th of February and the 3rd of March, 1934. In default of payment of taxes as shown on such list on or before Saturday, the twelfth day of May, 1934, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, I shall, after said time at the Council Chambers in Grimsby, proceed to sell by Public Auction, the said lands or such portion thereof as shall be necessary to pay such arrears together with the charges thereon. The copy of said list may be seen at the Treasurer's Office.

Dated at North Grimsby this 5th day of February, 1934.

THOMAS W. ALLAN,
 Treasurer.

THE RED & WHITE STORES

The Owner Serves - - The Buyer Saves

GOLD MEDAL STRAWBERRY JAM, 32 oz. Jar . . . 29c
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Golden Spray CHEESE 2 pkgs. 25c	CORN BEEF 12 oz. 2 for 25c	FLUFFO SHORTENING 1 lb.
CRISCO, 1½ POST BRAN HAWES FLOOR WAX		23c 11c 43c

Infant Delight SOAP 2 for 11c	BRUNSWICK SARDINES 5 for 23c	Snowflake AMMONIA 4 for 25c
SURPRISE SOAP 5 for 23c	RED & WHITE COFFEE 37c lb.	CALAY SOAP 5c Cake
MAGIC BAKING POWDER, (Cash and Carry) . . . 34c RED & WHITE ORANGE PEKOE TEA, ½ lb. . . 29c CROWN BLEND TEA . . . 49c		

KOLONA COFFEE 29c lb.	AYLMER Pork & Beans Large Tin 10c	WHITE CORN 3 for 25c
PEA and VEGETABLE SOUP 28 oz. tin 2 for 19c	Falcon Rice 5c lb.	Silverwood's MILK 3 for 25c

NAVAL ORANGES . . . 27c, 39c and 49c Doz.
 JUMBO LEMONS . . . 23c Doz.
 FRESH VEGETABLES ALWAYS ON HAND.

Last year F. C. Biggs & Sons, Dundas on April 18th, put in 500 chicks. They kept records to see if they would pay. By November 30th they had 219 pullets clear of all expense after charging for cost of 500 chicks, brooding and all feed to that date. These pullets laid 14,625 eggs in 100 days, an average of 70%. They were raised on Purina Starters, Growers and Fed Purina Layer.

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 PHONE "5" FOR SERVICE AND QUALITY

Local Items of Interest

The High and Public Schools will re-open on Monday next, following the Easter holidays.

The Financial Report of the Town of Grimsby for the year 1933, duly certified to as correct by the town's auditors, Messrs. Boyd and Sheppard, appears on pages 2 and 3 of this issue.

Friday, April 13th, will be unlucky only to those who miss the unusual concert to be given in Trinity Hall at 8 p.m. by the choir of Trinity United Church.

Mothers who brought their children to the first pre-school clinic are reminded that the second toxoid clinic will be held on Tuesday, April 10, at 10 o'clock.

The I. O. O. E. Literary will be held on Monday, April 9th in the I. O. O. E. Hall, at 3 o'clock. Mrs. W. H. Cline will give a paper on the recent book, "Anthony Adverse." There will also be a ladies' chorus and some readings.

Albert Axworthy, a popular member of the Grimsby Fire Dept. was taken to a Hamilton hospital, on Wednesday, where he will undergo an operation. His many friends will extend sincere good wishes for his early recovery.

Water pumped at the Grimsby Water Works for the month of March totaled 8,238,000 gallons, March 5th being the biggest day when 374,000 gallons were recorded. The average number of gallons pumped per day was 265,742. The increase for the month over 1933 amounted to 2,962,000 gallons. The average increase per day over March, 1933, was 93,540 gallons.

Leslie Bradt, of Vinemount, who was arrested by Provincial Constable Robble a few days ago at Dunnville on charges of breaking and entering on No. 20 highway was sentenced by Magistrate Campbell to three months in jail on Wednesday. He was afterwards turned over to Detective Speakman, of Hamilton, to face five charges there.

The Easter Thanksgiving of Trinity W. M. E. affiliated organizations will be held in Trinity Hall on the evening of Thursday, April 12 beginning at 8 o'clock. There will be a devotion, service, some special music, and an address on Christian Stewardship by Mrs. Jas. Darber, of Niagara Falls. Refreshments will be served and a social half hour enjoyed. Everyone welcome.

Moving pictures showing how the Bell Telephone System is operated and the widespread character of this essential service in the community, will be exhibited in Trinity Hall at next Monday evening's meeting of the Young People's Society, of Trinity United Church. Mr. LePatourel, district manager of the company, will be present and address the gathering as the pictures are being shown. The meeting is open to the public.

INQUEST HELD AT GRIMSBY

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Schwerk had seemed perfectly normal and had not smelled of liquor. Dr. Ballantyne, who performed an autopsy on the body of the deceased said death was due to peritonitis brought on by internal injuries. The right leg of the deceased was broken just above the ankle and he sustained a compound fracture just below the knee. There were also superficial cuts and bruises. Dr. MacMillan stated in his evidence that Scatch was delirious prior to his removal to the hospital. Trent saw Scatch outlined in Schwerk's headlights but though he did not see the man hit had heard the impact. It had been proposed that Scatch be removed at once to a hospital but a truck driver who was passing refused to perform this office so the injured man was brought back to Grimsby. He, Trent, judged the other car's speed to be normal.

Crown Attorney Lancaster afterwards intimated that it was improbable that any further charge would be laid.

The Burlington council has approved of an expenditure to advertise the merits of building in Burlington. Citizens of the town enjoy all the privileges of a country home, with the added advantages of having the services of a large metropolis close by. Home builders will be encouraged in Burlington.

NO DISCOUNT ON AMERICAN MONEY NOW

Money exchange between Canadian and United States coinage has ceased to be a problem at St. Catharines. American money is now taken freely in the stores and even by the Post-office.

Notice of EXPROPRIATION

IN THE MATTER OF The Highway Improvement Act, being Chapter 54 of the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1927.

AND IN THE MATTER OF The Public Works Act being Chapter 52 of the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1927.

AND IN THE MATTER OF the expropriation by the County of Lincoln of certain lands as set out and described in Schedule "A" attached hereto.

NOTICE OF EXPROPRIATION
 TAKE NOTICE that the Corporation of the County of Lincoln requires and will take from you under the provisions of The Highway Improvement Act and The Public Works Act, for the purposes of widening a County Road in the County Road System, all your right, title and interest in and to the lands as set forth in the description contained in Schedule "A" attached hereto.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that a plan and description of the said lands were registered in the Registry Office for the Registry Division of the County of Lincoln on the 5th day of February, 1934.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that any claim to compensation for such expropriation must be filed in an Office of the County Treasurer in the Court House, St. Catharines, within 6 months after such registration of said plan and description.

DATED at St. Catharines this 26th day of March, A.D. 1934.

A. W. MARQUE,
 Solicitor for the Corporation of the County of Lincoln.

TO:
 PETER MASHTELAR,
 Township of North Grimsby,
 AND TO:

The Executors of the Estate of Jane A. Blyth, Deceased, c/o F. E. L. Washington 7 Hughson Street, South Hamilton.

This is Schedule "A" referred to in the Notice of Expropriation attached hereto.

"PART LOT 9 IN CONCESSION 2, TOWNSHIP OF NORTH GRIMSBY"

ALL and SINGULAR that certain parcel or tract of land and premises, situate, lying and being in the Township of North Grimsby in the County of Lincoln and Province of Ontario, containing by admeasurement 35 hundredths of an acre, more or less, being a Part of Lot 9 in the Second Concession of the said Township, and which said parcel or tract may be more particularly described as follows COMMENCING at a point in the westerly boundary of the Road Allowance between Lots 8 and 9, distant therefrom northerly, 589 and 3 tenths feet from the northerly boundary of the Road Allowance between Concessions 2 and 3; THENCE North 79 degrees and 36 minutes west, 10 feet; THENCE North 7 degrees and 4 minutes East, 72 and 9 tenths feet; THENCE North 5 degrees and 13 minutes West, 178 and 9 tenths feet; THENCE North 8 degrees and 14 minutes West, 331 and 8 tenths feet; THENCE North 2 degrees and 38 minutes East, 254 and 4 tenths feet; THENCE North 7 degrees and 9 minutes East, 388 and 9 tenths feet; THENCE North 0 degrees and 41 minutes west, 101 feet, more or less to the southerly boundary of the town of Grimsby; THENCE Easterly in said last mentioned boundary to the westerly boundary of the Grimsby Mountain Road; THENCE Southerly in said last mentioned boundary, 1350 feet, more or less to the place of beginning.

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 "Static"
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 "Kid 'N Africa"

Monday, Tuesday, April 9, 10
 "DESIGN FOR LIVING"
 Miriam Hopkins, Frederic March, Gary Cooper
 "Parade of The Wooden Soldiers"
 "Hollywood On Parade"
 "Rumba Rhythm"

Wednesday, Thursday, April 11, 12
 "SON OF KONG"
 Robert Armstrong, Helen Mack
 "Fox Movie News"
 "What For"
 "Gay Gaucho"

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FOR SALE—Underwood Typewriter. Good condition, will rent or sell cheap. Apply Box 20 Independent Office, Grimsby. 3tp

FOR SALE—A quantity of red clover seed. Apply Gordon Etherington, R. R. No. 1, Grimsby. 3tp

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FOR RENT

FOR RENT—7 roomed house with all conveniences at 23 Oak St. Apply Elsie M. Drury, Phone 432 Grimsby. 1tc

FOR RENT—House on Park Road. Apply Mrs. A. Greenwood, Grimsby Beach, Phone 114-r-4. 3tp

FIVE ROOM HOUSE TO LET—On Robinson Street South, available 15th April, all conveniences, some fruit. Apply 22 Robinson St. South, Grimsby. 3tc

FOR RENT—Houses on Elm St. and Main St. Apply 23 Mountain St. Grimsby, Phone 291. 1tc

WANTED TO RENT—One large or two small rooms, unfurnished, with heat and lights. State price. Apply Box 49, Independent Office. 1tp

FOR RENT, 3 or 4 roomed Apartment all conveniences, also garage and use of good sized garden. Possession May 1st, Apply 5 Adelaide St. 1tp

FOR RENT—7 roomed brick house with a garage. All conveniences. 7 Falon St., Phone 432, Grimsby. 1tc

WANTED

16 PIGS WANTED—5 to 6 weeks old, end of April. State price. Apply P. O. Box 131, Grimsby. 2tp

Wanted—foot sufferers who cannot get results from pads to use Cream Corn or Bunion Salve. For sale at Dymond's Drug Store, Grimsby, Ont.

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PROCLAMATION

Town Of Grimsby

Pursuant to By-Law No. 723 of the Town of Grimsby I hereby proclaim, under authority of the Council, passed the 14th day of March, 1934, that no dog or bitch shall be allowed to run at large in the town of Grimsby during the period from April 1st, 1934, to November 1st, 1934, save and except such dogs as may be securely leashed and under the control of some competent person.

Grimsby, March 24th, 1934.

WATSON McPHERSON,
 Mayor.

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Chief Brand IRISH STEW 2 tins 25c	Beaver Brand FANCY LOBSTER large tin 25c	PURE LARD Magle Leaf Brand—Government Certified 1-lb. pkg. 10c	
Del Monte Fancy Quality SPINACH No. 2 tin 15c	Aylmer Fancy GOLDEN APRICOTS No. 2 tin 15c	Victory Brand Red Cabot SALMON 2½ lb. tins 25c	Libby's Fancy Hawaiian Crushed Pineapple No. 2 tin 19c
Diamond CLEANSER 5 tins 25c	Kid's CASTLE SOAP 3 cakes 14c	WAX BEANS Aylmer Brand—Chosen, Golden, Tender, Delightful 2 No. 2 tins 23c	
H.O. Powdered AMMONIA 4 pkgs. 25c	Pearl White NAPHTHA SOAP 8 bars 25c	PLUM JAM Wagstaff's—Red and Blue—Mark the Big Jar! 40-oz. jar 23c	
Heaven's FLOOR WAX 1-lb tin 42c	RINSO Speeds Washing With Floods of Suds lg. pkg. 20c	PALMOLIVE SOAP 3 cakes 14c	OLD CHEESE Carroll's Own lb. 16c
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Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Calder spent the holiday in Toronto.

Mr. J. D. Russ and daughter Miss Jennie Russ spent the holiday with relatives in Buffalo, N. Y.

Mr. F. J. Swayze, of Ottawa, is spending his Easter holidays at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Bromley and two daughters spent Good Friday with friends at Port Nelson.

Miss Margaret Stewart left on Friday last to spend a week in New York City.

Mr. Eric Bull, of Toronto, spent Easter with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Bull.

Miss Lees, of Toronto, is spending the Easter holidays with Mrs. R. N. Wolfenden.

Miss Williamine Bechtel is convalescing from the effects of her recent motor accident at the home of her sister, Mrs. C. E. Dean, Livingston Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Morris and family of London, spent Easter with relatives in Hamilton and Grimsby.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harvey "Kearney Hill" are spending the holidays with their son, Murray, and family in Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Forman left Tuesday on a two weeks' visit with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe. Wilson, Dorchester.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. DeLong, of St. Catharines spent last Thursday afternoon with Mrs. DeLong's aunt, Mrs. Gardner, 25 Oak St.

Mr. Francis Hildreth, Robinson St. South, who has been spending several months with his sister, Mrs. W. B. Davis at Smithville, returned to his home on Monday.

Guests at "Kearney Hill" during Easter week were: Mrs. Stewart, Dean of Alma College, St. Thomas, Miss Holton, Parkhill and Miss Donogh, of Toronto.

Mr. Homer Watson, R.C.A. and his sister, Miss Phoebe Watson and Mr. Stewart Williams, of Doon, were recent visitors in Grimsby, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Dean.

On Monday evening, March 26th a very delightful birthday party was held for Mr. Jack MacDougall at the home of Mr. Macallum, Grimsby Beach. Many friends were present and a most enjoyable evening was spent.

Among the University students who are spending the Easter vacation at their homes here are Miss Gay Caudwell of McDonald Institute, Guelph, Miss Bettina Woolverton of the University of Toronto, George Stewart of the Ontario College of Pharmacy.

"Jerry" Carson, the stalwart defence star of the Montreal Canadiens accompanied by Mrs. Carson, arrived home on Sunday for a well-earned summer's rest after a strenuous season in the N. H. L. "Jerry" has had a good season at the national pastime and is assured of a berth with this crack team for a few seasons to come.

Miss Gay Caudwell, Mr. Harry Bourne and Mr. Charles Ashton, Grimsby, were among the guests in attendance at the Dinner Party at which Miss Chubby Gooche, of Hamilton, entertained at the Hamilton Golf and Country Club in honor of her guest, Miss Virginia Lander, of Oshawa. Later the party enjoyed an evening of dancing at the Royal Connaught.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Thomson, Murray Street, entertained about fifty guests at a Dinner Party at the Village Inn, on Friday evening, March 30th, in honor of their daughter, Dorothy Ellen, on the occasion of her 21st birthday. The event proved a most enjoyable and happy one, guests being present from Grimsby, Beamsville, Smithville, Hamilton, Simcoe and Toronto. Miss Thomson was the recipient of many beautiful gifts from her friends.

CHIEF DEMILL RESUMES DUTIES

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 by, however, he informed them that they were under arrest and they were locked up in the cells here.

One of the men, Joe Davino, who appeared before Magistrate Campbell was on Wednesday given one year in the reformatory on a charge of car theft. He was immediately afterwards turned over to Detective Speakman of Hamilton, and taken to that city to face charges of breaking and entering there and breaking parole.

FARRELL UNABLE TO ACCOMPANY TEAM

The injury sustained by Ralph "Red" Farrell, defence star of Hamilton's senior O. H. A. champions, received in the first game of the eastern semi-finals with Ottawa New Edinburgh, and which militated greatly against the Bengals' winning the eastern finals against Moncton Hawks, appears to be more serious than at first supposed, says the sports writer of the Hamilton Spectator. The doughty scorertop has been confined to his home since that memorable game that marked Tigers' exit from the playdowns, and he will be unable to be about for several days yet, it is indicated.

"Hawes" Marsh, who suffered a nasty gash over the left eye in the final game, will carry a very noticeable scar for some time, and Cliff Chisholm and Norval Fitzgerald are still carrying thumbs in splints.

Only Farrell, however, is unable to participate in the rounds of entertainment that is now being given the Bengals. Monday they were guests of the Lions club at noon, and the Hamilton Advertising club played hosts to them in the evening. Monday night, through the kindness of Robert Knovels, general manager of the Capitol theatre, the Rogers, with their wives and sweethearts, were guests at that popular playhouse, and Wednesday night the Philo club took the lads in hand.

TWO GRIMSBY MEN TOWER OF STRENGTH TO HAMILTON TEAM

Two former Grimsby men "Gone" McGowan and "Red" Farrell, are among the most valued members of the Hamilton Tigers which put up such a valiant battle in connection with hard-fought games played for the Allan Cup. The following from the sport column of the Hamilton Herald containing references to these two players will be of special interest: If the Moncton Hawks Eastern Canada's 1934 amateur hockey champions and holders of the Allan cup don't show a great deal more strength in the final round against Fort William's Blue Shirts than they did in nailing out Tigers in a two-game series by 3 to 2, the historic mug will be carried back to the head of the great lakes.

Heralded as stronger than they were in 1933, when they lifted the cup, and adding to the general belief that they were invincible by beating the strong McGill university squad by four goals in two games, the maritime champions were top-heavy favorites when they skated out in Toronto to oppose Hamilton's senior O. H. A. champions and, with Tigers crippled by injuries which kept "Gone" McGowan and "Red" Farrell out of the first contest, and forced three other players to go into action when in anything but playing condition, even Tigers' staunch supporters felt that their pets would suffer a lopsided defeat. But, playing a surprisingly strong game for a team that was so heavily handicapped, the Bengals held the cup-holders to a 2-0 score and the result proved that the jaws were far from the outstanding outfit that advance "dope" would have the folks up this way believe.

In the second game of the round, Tigers had their hard-hitting defence star, "Red" Farrell, back on duty. He was heavily bandaged, so much, in fact, that his usual speed was lacking, but, in his characteristic "game" style, he stepped into the opposing team with utter abandon, broke up many of their determined rushes and made such a vast difference in his team's play that the Hawks were beaten by 2 to 1. On the play, Tigers looked to be the better team and, in the opinion of practically all who saw the contest, the Hamiltonians deserved to win the round. If McGowan had been able to play at all in either game, the Hawks would be on their way back home, cup-less, instead of getting going to meet the Thundering Herd from Fort William.

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OBITUARY

WELLINGTON SHEPHERD

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He had a long and useful life in the district in which he lived. He leaves to mourn his loss beside his widow, one son, Charles, at home; and six daughters, Mrs. Morris Walker and Mrs. Roy Walker, of Beamsville; Mrs. Hugh McMarlin, Waterford; Mrs. James Kelley, Hamilton; Mrs. E. Walters, Winona and Mrs. G. L. Dawson, of New York city. Also three sisters, Mrs. Robert Philp, Niagara Falls, N. Y.; Mrs. Sarah Waindige, Grimsby; Mrs. Annie Shepherd, Detroit, Mich.

The funeral was held on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. Stuart Wood conducted the services at the home and graveside. Interment was made in Mount Osborne cemetery.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

Lesson 2, April 8, The child and the Kingdom. St. Matthew 18:verses 1-15. Golden text: Let little children, and forbid them not, to come unto me; for of such is the Kingdom of Heaven. Matthew 19:14. The heart of the lesson.

Have you entered the Kingdom of Heaven? To be born of the spirit is to be converted and become as little children. A definite decision is needed; believe! And leave the miracle to God. Win the children to Christ, they need the Saviour, and are open to believe when the message is brought to them. Let it be the message of the Cross. They understand a crucified Saviour

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Jill of the Fields

A ROMANCE
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SYNOPSIS

Motherless Jill Merridew becomes the death of her father, owner of a farm. She counts on Mark Hanson, head man to assist her. Mark resents the presence of Phillip Barbour, who professes to be investigating the history of old county families. On returning to London he meets two foreigners. The reason for Phillip's interest proves to be a chemical fertilizer discovered by Jill's father, which he had not made known to Jill.

Phillip finds Jill upset over Mark who has declared his love for her. A body of a man is found in one of the wheat fields. A lighter is found under the body which proves to belong to old George. Barbour rushes Jill into an engagement. She receives a letter from Mark giving notice. Jill is furious that her engagement is announced in the papers.

"You won't tell him I've been over Stone-Town, will you?" asked Simmons, a little nervously.

"Of course not," laughed Jill. "He can wait till he sees it in your own paper. And now I'll tell you something which I don't want you to tell him. It is this, that speaking of her engagement, Miss Merridew said the report was annoyingly premature."

Blessing upon blessing!
"Oh, thank you, Miss Merridew. You are—you are a sport!" Simmons could hardly restrain his gratitude, and without reason, for he became the envy of his more sophisticated colleagues and was complimented personally by the baron who owned his newspaper. And if any journalist wanted more than that he was not likely to get it.

It did not take Simmons long to find Miss Merridew, who was already in the little barn to which the police had assigned the Press. Hissop, thinking something else good had come his way, went over to the farm, with all his accustomed confidence.

Jill wasted no words when she met him.

"Who told you I was engaged to be married to Mr. Barbour?" she asked in a way which rather surprised Mr. Hissop. He was accustomed to the might of his paper ensuring respect, if not genuflection. With the secrecy which newspaper men cultivate, his first impulse was not to tell Jill.

"I'm afraid—er—Miss Merridew, that these are little things which come in the way of a reporter's work."

"Obviously," said Jill, "but that does not stop me asking where you got the information. I want it for my own reasons, and if I don't get it, I shall run up your newspaper and ask them for it."

Hissop could scarcely refrain from laughing as he thought of the reception she would get from his hard-bitten newspaper. "Miss Merridew," he could hear the later saying, "either the report is true or it is not. If it is true, it stands. If it is untrue we will deny it. Thank you, good-day."

He thought rapidly for a few moments. Perhaps, after all there was no particular reason for withholding the information. He had given no pledge of confidence, and secrecy had never been suggested. Barbour had blabbed it all without the least reticence. Further, to offend Jill was not the way of obtaining her help. Indeed, the fact that he was actually speaking to her was a stroke of luck, and his subconscious mind was busy at work wondering how best to make use of the opportunity.

"Well, as a matter of fact, Miss Merridew," he said, "it was Mr. Barbour himself who told me. I won't say he gave it out as for publication, but, on the other hand, he mentioned no restrictions."

"But how came he to tell you?"

"Well, I asked if I could see you, and was told you were with him. Then he came down and said I could not be allowed to speak to you. I asked him

his authority. I thought I was entitled to do that—and he said because he had just become engaged to you."

"Just like that?"

"Yes, like that," said Hissop, whereupon Jill showed a gleam of anger in her eyes. "I hope no harm has come of its being published?" asked Hissop.

"Oh, no, not at all," said Jill. "It was only that I did not want to blame the wrong person. I'm very grateful for what you've told me."

"Don't mention it, Miss Merridew," said Hissop. "And now I wonder if you could do me a little favour?"

"I will if I can," said Jill, "but I've been asked so many strange favours lately that I can make no promise."

Hissop's subconscious mind had done its work and had decided that now would be the time to ask Jill to show him round the old house. The conversation so far had taken place at the door.

"Well, I should be deeply grateful if you would let me have a look round the interior of your wonderful old farm. You see, people are all anxious to know of its beauties."

"And your paper to publish them?"

"No, I think that is all for today," said Hissop. When Barbour appeared Jill went directly to the point of the premature notice of their engagement.

"By the way it was you who went down to see the newspaper man yesterday afternoon. What did you say to him?"

"Oh, simply told him you couldn't see him. After all, Jill, at a time like this, you've got to be protected against things of that kind. Your poor nerves must be getting absolutely worn out."

"They are," said Jill, "but I'm thinking of looking after them myself for the next few days."

"What do you mean?" asked Barbour.

"Well, let's be frank," replied Jill. "Supposing I ask you a straight question, will you give me a straight answer?"

"I always give straight answers to straight questions," said Barbour with a touch of superiority.

"Not always," said Jill, looking him very keenly in the eyes. "You have given me a very crooked one already. Tell me, when you spoke to that man—his name was Hissop—did you tell him that the reason for your safeguarding me against intrusion was because you had just become engaged to me?"

"Well, I may have, of course," said Barbour, "but I certainly don't remember. Anyhow, what makes you ask the question? You seem to have been spending time on the matter."

"I like to be sure of things," said Jill, "and I'm pretty certain in this case that you did tell him, and the sooner you admit it the better. And that, Phillip, you may take as an ultimatum."

"Very well, then," said Phillip, "I will say that I told him, but that I had forgotten that I had done so."

"I'll give a shrug of her shoulders and made a grimace. "Tastes nasty," she said. "Anyhow, I've had it all from Hissop himself, so we won't say any more about it; but let this be understood, whether we continue our engagement or not, that I don't like men who tell lies, and that's what you've been doing."

Barbour did some quick thinking. "Jill," he said, "I must have told him unwittingly, perhaps because I was so proud at being able to call you mine. Do forgive me, darling."

Barbour could see that this was in grave danger of losing Jill. This, he told himself, he could not doubt bear. He had lost girls before and survived, but losing that formula was a different matter. No, whatever happened, he must hang on.

"See, Jill," he said to her kindly, "you are overwrought to-day. Don't let's talk about it for a day or so. We shall see things in a better light then."

He stroked her hair, as was his wont, and Jill for a moment wondered if she were not being too hard on him. After all, he had been very gentle to her and sympathetic. She must allow him one or two failings, for there was no such thing as the perfect man.

"All right, then," she said, "don't let us see each other again until tomorrow. But I won't want you to consider you are engaged to me any more until then. We can talk it over again. Good-bye, Phillip. I like you as a fellow, really."

Phillip Barbour was a clever man. He did not attempt to take her in his arms. He raised her hand and kissed it, not once, but many times; then he left her.

He walked moodily across the fields in the direction of Morley village, conscious that every piece of turf upon which he trod belonged to Jill. He had had an unpleasant experience, and it was one which would need some thinking over. Anger was uppermost in his mind, for he could see that his trivial lapse of tact with Hissop had come very near to losing him the formula, and Jill with it.

He was not the only man in the fields at that moment who was thinking of Jill, for across the next meadow came a figure which seemed somehow familiar to him. It was that of Mark Hanson.

It was not exactly the best time for the two men to meet, as they did, a few minutes later at Holly Bush stile.

Their thoughts before the actual meeting were not dissimilar. To Mark, here came the man who had caused all the trouble, for, as Mark worked it out, Barbour had not only stolen Jill from him, but had some mysterious finger in some mysterious plot which had led to the murder. Old George had said as much, and old George did not say empty things.

To Barbour, Mark was anathema, because he had shown so clearly his dislike of him. Further, Mark enjoyed Jill's confidence, called her by her Christian name and was the only other man about whom Jill seemed to trouble. Some intuition told him that Mark was behind Jill's attitude to him today. Perhaps, in a way, he was right, for Jill had not gone through her experience with Mark that morning without appreciating the strength of Mark's character, without failing to admire the manner in which he spoke to her for her own good. It was treatment she could understand.

Still, as Mark cogitated upon these things, he was not pleased to have his thoughts broken by the appearance of the man who, he considered, had done him more harm than any man living. He had his own view of the engagement between Jill and Barbour, but his sensitive nature made him visualise himself in the light, indirectly, of an employee of Barbour's. It was intolerable, and was made more so by Barbour's greeting.

"Good-day, Hanson."

"Ay," said Mark as, with native politeness, he stood aside to allow Phillip to cross the stile which the two men had reached almost simultaneously. Phillip, however, did not cross the stile, but leant upon it as though prepared for conversation. After all, he had thought, it might not pay him to quarrel with Mark at this juncture. He was too much in Jill's confidence. (To be continued.)

Brazil Buys Planes For Army Air Mail

RIO DE JANEIRO, Brazil—Brazil, which has used army aviators to fly air mail on interior lines since 1931, has purchased 25 new airplanes in the United States to expand the five army air-mail lines now in existence.

The lines serve regions which hitherto had relatively slow mail service; such remote states as Mato Grosso, Brazil's wild west, and the interior of Piahy, another great cattle country, are getting mail from Rio in two days. Inasmuch as the coast cities are well served by American, French and German companies, the army has concentrated on the interior.

The first line, established in 1931, ran only between Rio de Janeiro and Sao Paulo, but shortly thereafter was extended to Goyaz, large hinterland plateau state which has only a short railway line. Other lines were established in quick succession, despite a setback occasioned by the 1932 Sao Paulo rebellion.

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By GEOFFREY ST. CLAIR

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(Editor's Note: These articles on Grapho-Analyst have been a most successful series. Many readers are coming in with specimens of their own handwriting for a personal analysis, and replies are being mailed as soon as possible. If you want your writing analyzed, see the announcement at the foot of this article.)

A Grapho-Analyst's mailbox is very interesting. It is a reflection of people's hopes and fears, worries and problems—it is a very mirror of life itself. And for every question, the Grapho-Analyst can supply an answer.

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A girl writes in tormented fashion, pleading for advice on how to deal with her brother and father. They are making life miserable for herself and her mother, and threaten to do bodily harm if the latter do not pass over some money that they have made themselves. The writing of the father and brother show greed and selfishness, with a brutal will that sometimes rushes over into violence.

Another girl is having trouble with her boy friend. Is he to be trusted? There are many letters of this kind. And very often we can give a reassuring answer. Sometimes, our advice will hurt—but the truth is what people are asking for.

A mother is very anxious to know the characteristics of her young daughters. And what talents they possess. In this way, she can encourage

them along the lines in which they can make most progress and in which they will be happy.

Another mother is perplexed about her boy. He is the only child she has, but she doesn't understand him. Grapho-Analyst reveals his hidden traits, and suggests a line for the mother to work along.

A young man from the West says his life has been miserable, and try as he will, he cannot do anything right. His writing reveals the tremendous colour in his nature, and the need for great control. He has a hard row to hoe before he can regain normality.

The letters show how many people are square pegs in round holes. Real talents wasted because the possessor is in a vocation totally unsuited to him.

Grapho-Analyst is a very helpful. It reveals not only the major characteristics, but also these hidden tendencies that are gradually looming up, and will, ere long, affect one's mode of life. If they are strong points, they can be developed. Often, they are potential weaknesses, and need curbing. Grapho-Analyst shows the way.

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5. Operation and administration.

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The rates charged in any municipality must cover these charges of the Commission plus similar charges on that municipality's plant.

The investment in the Hydro undertakings had reached on 31st October, 1933, a total of about \$400,000,000, of which three-fourths represents the Commission's generating plants and transmission lines, and one-fourth the municipal plants.

And He Is Still "Tired of It All"

Philadelphia—Announcing he was "Tired of it all," Charles Hamilton, 34, drove his landlady, her two daughters and her son out of the house. Then he barricaded the doors and called fast the windows.

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Art Wisdom Comes of Years

Noted Portrait Painter Says Sense Grows With Experience

St. John. — Modern painting have never reached the high level of the old masters, in the opinion of Richard Jack, R.A., noted English portrait painter, who sailed recently to attend the annual Royal Academy exhibition in London. Mr. Jack has been a resident of Canada for a couple of years.

The old masters, said Mr. Jack, when interviewed here, devoted themselves entirely to art while present-day painters were, perhaps, handicapped by the stress and diverse interests of modern life. The men whose work has survived the centuries were concerned chiefly in their own creations and were not led away by the influence of other schools. Some of the world's finest modern painters had turned against the old masters in their youth but with years came wisdom and then they had realized their mistake.

Time, said Mr. Jack, provided the real test of art. He recalled several painters of the last century who were regarded as geniuses in their day but whose work is now gradually losing position.

A definite art movement was apparent in Canada but better times were needed to bring it along, because after all art could not flourish without financial support, he said. In these days people were confining their purchases to necessities mainly. He was doubtful that there would ever be developed a distinctive Canadian art. Artists were painting Canadian scenes but their work was influenced by the traditions of the old schools.

Ultra-modernistic painting does not impress Mr. Jack in the least. He considers that the radical artists sacrifice all that is accepted as beautiful to achieve their results. "Perhaps," said Mr. Jack, "these paintings are understandable to the person who creates them but I am inclined to believe that it is nothing more than sensationalism. I should hate to live in a world that resembles these pictures."

Mr. Jack said that although only a small percentage of the people appreciated art, the lovers of pictures came from all classes, rich and poor. In this respect art resembled good music, he declared, which since the perfection of radio broadcasting has won a multitude of unexpected admirers.

Sense of Sitter's Personality Keynote of Whole Picture

Marion Long Says Natural Self Consciousness May Be Overcome by Conversation

Marion Long, who has been much feted since the news was announced of her election to the Royal Canadian Society of Artists, says: "A sense of the sitter's personality is the key-note of the whole picture, and even the color scheme of a portrait must symbolize the inner quality of the person. In painting a child, the color must express life and movement; but with an old person, quietness is found in the soft-grey used for the hair, or the ivory tint of the complexion."

The natural self-consciousness of any man or woman who posed for a picture might be overcome by conversation, she explained. While chatting with the artist, the sitter would assume a characteristic pose; his eyes would express interest, and also his mouth; but when painting the latter, it was necessary for the artist to monopolize the conversation.

"Often I have talked fast for a whole morning," said Miss Long, "and I could not remember afterward one word I said." A new problem was found in each person painted, she concluded, but the great joy came when the self-imposed task was accomplished.

Historic Motor Car

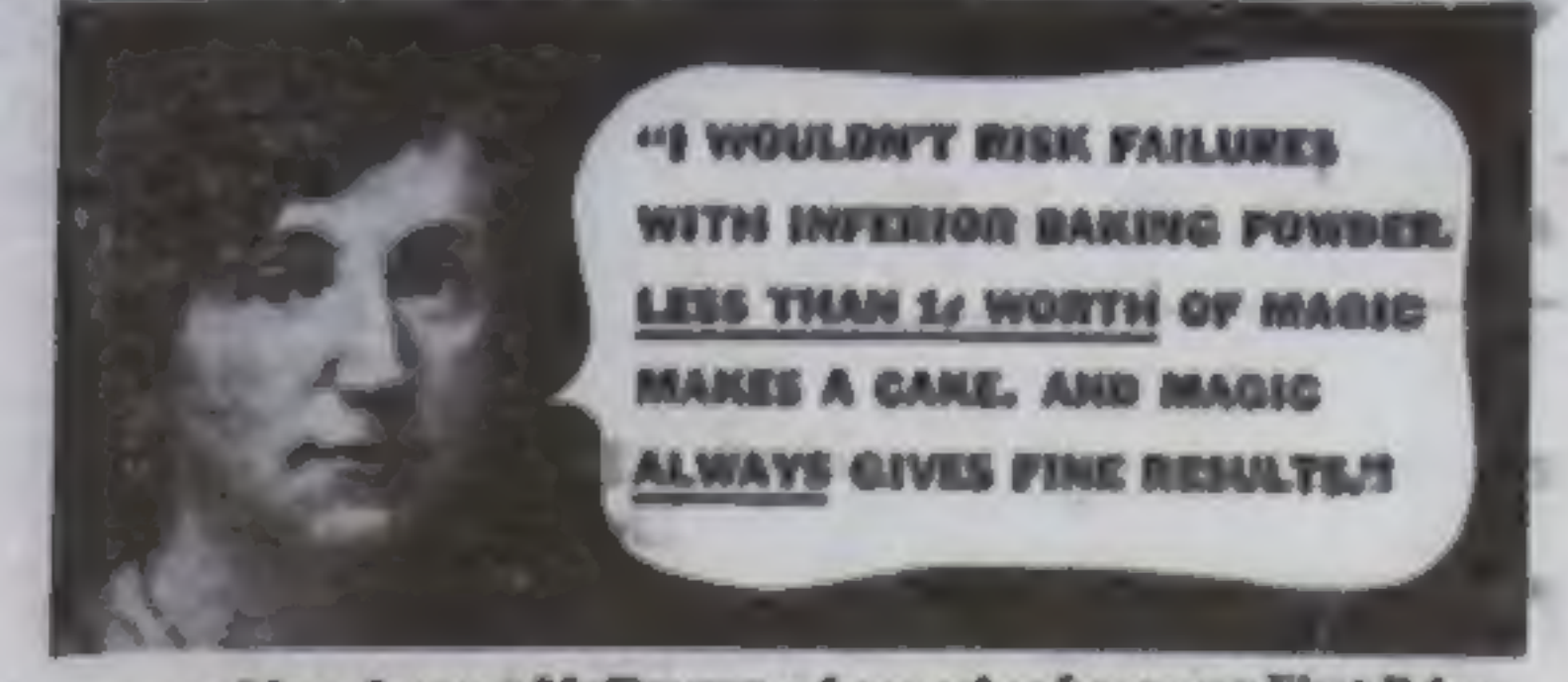
Unperturbed by past history, a resident of a village in Bosnia is driving the car said to have been used by Archduke Ferdinand of Austria in Sarajevo that day in 1914 when the Austrian heir stopped an assassin's bullet and was toppled on Europe. The significance of the old-fashioned car completely escapes the present owner, who bought it from the Austrian authorities shortly before the end of the war and now, regardless of the paint-covered coat-of-arms, uses it as the village taxi.

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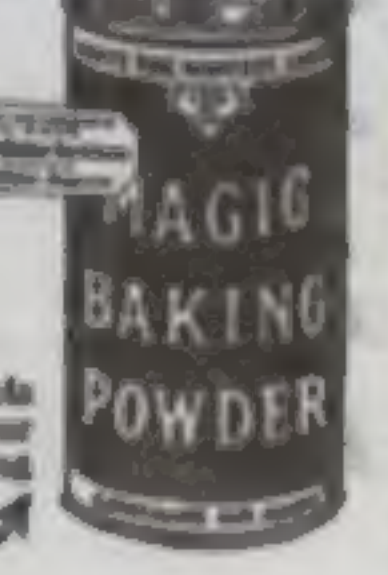
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report of the organization and activities of the Chapter since its inception. In looking over our work I will not be able to do justice to what we have accomplished, in the time allotted me, but will try to make it as clear as I can.

While returning from a meeting of the Lena Davis Chapter, I. O. D. E., Beamsville, of which Mrs. Fonger and I were members, we asked each other the question, Why should Grimsby not have a chapter?

We proceeded to answer the question by getting to work to organize one. We had some helpful advice from Mrs. Crest, Regent of the Lena Davis Chapter, as to procedure, and Mr. Servais of the Village Inn, kindly gave permission to hold our organization meeting there. The aims and object of the Order were published in the local paper and women who were interested were invited to attend a meeting held on March 13th, 1934. One hundred women accepted the invitation and were there to join the order, although some of them had never heard of the I. O. D. E. before. Eighty-six of the women signed the roll that day which made them charter members. It happened that the day chosen was the day of the executive meeting of the Provincial Chapter in Hamilton. Mrs. Burkholder, Provincial President, came to our meeting accompanied by Mrs. Bray, Organizing Secretary, Mrs. Rutter, Educational Secretary, (who passed away recently), and several other officers.

Officers Elected

Mrs. Bray then took charge of the elections when the following officers were elected:

Regent — Mrs. R. N. Wolfenden,
1st. Vice-Regent — Mrs. H. A. Yon-
key.

2nd. Vice-Regent — Mrs. Ramsden.
Secretary — Mrs. L. A. Bromley.
Treasurer — Miss A. Crane.
Educational Secretary — Miss G. Connell.

Echoes Secretary — Mrs. W. Cline.
Standard Bearer — Mrs. Milliken.
When the visitors from Hamilton entered the Inn they congratulated us on having such a large number present and said it looked more like a Provincial Annual than an organization meeting.

Mrs. Burkholder donated our first minute book which is now used as the assistant secretary's and contains the Charter members names.

Before receiving our Charter we had to choose a name. After selecting Bonar Law we found it had already been chosen. So it was finally our dear Miss Nina Woolverton who named our Chapter "Lincoln Loyalist." We chose the motto, "In unity is strength." On April 23rd, St. George's Day, Mrs. Burkholder presented our Charter, Mrs. Wolfenden receiving it for the Chapter. Mayor Livingstone gave an inspiring address, particularly stressing loyalty to the Empire and the Throne. Mrs. Alexander sang the Barefoot Trail. Dr. Irwin gave

The Week's News of
The Surrounding District

BEAMSVILLE

Four Camp Borden signallers narrowly escaped not going on their Easter vacations Thursday night last. They were on their way to New York when their car was sidwiped near the Hippie farm, east of here, about 8 o'clock, by one coming towards Beamsville and driven by Archie Jenkins, of 183 Rotham ave., Hamilton.

The impact must have been terrific for it raised the military car clear off its wheels sending it bounding on its side to the ditch. In it and glad to escape lightly were Signallers D. H. Thompson, who received a cut across the back requiring half a dozen stitches by Dr. Stallwood to close; W. S. Woodley and R. Greenalade. The car was owned and driven by Corp. A. McCauley. The other three were only slightly injured.

Unable to proceed farther with the damaged cars all parties came into town. Jenkins went by bus to his home in Hamilton, but the four camp men went to bed at a local hotel. They decided not to give up their trip so proceeded eastward by bus also Friday morning.

It was decided by the county Liberal executive on Thursday afternoon to set the date for its convention either on Monday evening, April 23, or Saturday afternoon, April 28, at the Community hall here. One of these dates will be definitely known this week depending on the availability of speakers.

A. E. Coombs, well-known St. Catharines teacher, was slated as another possible Liberal nominee on Thursday, but it is a well known fact that the party would much favour holding Mr. Coombs for the federal arena and that the provincial nominee would be Mayor Fred Avery, of St. Catharines. It looks now as if the mayor has been definitely decided to oppose S. J. Wilson. The executive is assuming that this will be the line-up unless a C. C. F. does not invade the field and there is just a possibility that the organization may yet inject a candidate from the city belonging to this party, at any rate rumours to the effect are afloat.

There died at his home in Clinton township on Thursday morning Joseph Uglind in his 19th year. He was an exceedingly bright pupil at the high school up to about a year ago. The funeral took place to Holy Rosary church, Thorold, prior to interment in Thorold cemetery.

Frank Ryckman is the buyer of a building lot on the east side of Mountain street from Mrs. Corman. The lot adjoins the W. O. Reid property.

STONEY CREEK

Marjorie, the 11-year-old daughter of George and Mrs. Bell, is in Hamilton hospital suffering from a fractured skull, received when she ran into a truck driven by C. R. McQueen, Fruitland. It seems that, while she was playing with some children on Wednesday evening, she ran from behind a parked truck into the one driven by Mr. McQueen, who did not notice her until the accident occurred.

VINEMOUNT

The Vinemount Literary Society paid a return visit to the Calator Centre Society and put on a splendid program.

This is maple syrup season and the farmers with sugar bushes are right into the business of syrup and sugar making.

SMITHVILLE

Clayton Bartlett was struck and run over by a motor truck in Toronto recently. One leg was broken above the knee and severely bruised. He was taken to St. Michael's hospital, where it will be necessary for him to remain for some weeks.

A short address. It was decided that our meetings would be held on Monday as this day would not interfere with any church meetings, Mr. Servais allowing us to continue to hold them in the Inn. Our money making schemes have been many and varied, our first being a play H. M. S. Pinafore, presented by St. John's Choir, Winona, who shared the proceeds amounting to \$69.83, equally with the I. O. D. E. Some time later the choir presented "Pirates of Penzance" on the same terms and was equally successful.

Our first big venture was a garden party at the home of Mrs. Liddle. Extensive preparations had been made, when rain spoiled the attendance but not enough to get our insurance.

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WINONA

The Women's Missionary society of Fifty and Fruitland United churches will meet in the Sunday school room of Fifty United Church on Thursday, afternoon April 5, at 2.30 o'clock. The program will be given by the W.M.S. of Calvary church, Hamilton.

The Vinemount Horticultural society has invited the members of the Winona society to its meeting on Wednesday night, April 4, in Vinemount hall, when John Clark, of Toronto, is giving a lecture on horticulture work.

About 40 women attended the Women's institute meeting at the home of Mrs. M. Cudney on Thursday afternoon. Mrs. W. C. Dawe, Canadian industries convener, had charge of the program, which was instructive and entertaining. Mr. Mack, of the G. W. Robinson company, gave an address on the wonders of Electricity. Mrs. Arrill, of Cayuga, who was to give an address on Legislation, was unable to be present, and her paper was read by Mrs. E. Wilmer. A very talented musician of Beamsville, Miss Greenwood, played several enjoyable selections on the piano accordion. Mrs. W. C. Dawe sang.

Clifford Dewitt, of Fruitland, who was rushed to the hospital Thursday for an appendicitis operation is reported as doing nicely.

"C" company, the Wentworth Regiment, is holding a smoker on Wednesday evening, April 4.

GRIMSBY CENTRE

Mrs. Mary Cummings of Simcoe spent Easter under the parental roof. A large attendance enjoyed the Easter service at the Centre Sunday evening.

Miss Gladys Secor, of Bartonville, spent Easter at her home here.

The Grimsby Centre Literary Club are having a social in the school house on Friday evening. Come and enjoy yourself.

Mrs. William Patterson of Young St. spent Monday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Secor.

Mr. Percy Duggan, of Fonthill, spent Sunday with friends in this district.

We are sorry to hear that Mr. and Mrs. Frank England and family have left this district and are now residing in St. Catharines.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Cowland spent Tuesday morning in St. Catharines.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander York and family, of Grimsby Beach, are now living on the farm formerly occupied by Mr. England.

Mrs. Dora Secor, of Grimsby Beach visited with Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Secor on Sunday last.

The Grimsby Women's Institute will hold their next regular meeting at the home of Miss Bernice Roth at Grimsby on Thursday afternoon, April 12th.

THIRTY MOUNTAIN

The Ladies' Aid are holding a quilting and tea at the home of Mrs. F. Lane on Tuesday, April 10th.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fairbrother spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hurst.

The Home and School Club had a very successful evening on Thursday. The Dixie Circus Co. assisted by the Three Black Crows from Grimsby put on a very successful concert. The school being much smaller than the giraffe, which was used, to frighten the small children, he had to be led out and kept from performing a few feats which he had been trained to do. However the audience was kept in fits of laughter the whole evening. The committee in charge take this way of thanking all who took part.

The Mimes Eleanor and Shirley Wilcox spent the afternoon on Tuesday with Lola Hurst.

Mrs. Wm. Vall spent the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wardell in St. Catharines.

Mrs. E. Hurst and Lawrence spent the week-end in Brookville Pa., visiting her sister, Mrs. C. B. Walters.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Vall spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Orth, Campden.

Mrs. Boughner from Renton, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Carr and Mrs. E. Miller, of Hamilton, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kemp.

Mr. L. Carson from the Royal Bank, Hagersville, spent the week-end at his home here.

Mr. Wm. Carson took the service at Grimsby Centre and Grassden on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Lane attended the funeral on Sunday of their great aunt Mary Ann Ostreor, of Fenwick.

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SPORTGRAPHICALLY SPEAKING

(BY JONES)

If ever a small town had a lucky bunch of boys playing the great national pastime of hockey, Grimsby be it. Since 1928, in November to be precise, this little burg, has had as high as seven residents playing in the minor ranks of the hockey world, at one time. The list at its high margin point was "Shorty" Horne, "Bud" Field "Cyclone" Wentworth, "Jerry" Carson, "Old Pop" McVicar, Arlie Clark and "Buddy" Fleher. We still have four of them in the big time. "Shorty" has gone to his last reward, a P.F.'s death in the northern lakes in an attempt to save the lives of his pals. "Bud" retired gracefully on his laurels when he felt old age creeping on, and just as gracefully asked for and received his reinstatement card to the minor ranks and stepped out this winter and showed the kids how they do it "away back when". "Buddy" did the same thing as his old pal "Bud" but he did not have as good material to work with and was not quite so successful in his labors, but at that he gave a lot of those northern towns something to cogitate over during the summer months. Of the pair left in the field "Jerry" with Montreal Canadiens was back in the play-off cut again this winter. "Cyclone" with Montreal Maroons was also on the inside taking his cut of the big dough. Down in the oil soaked fields of Oklahoma Flash Arlie Clark, on the Liquid Gold that comes from the play-off station and that wily old Scotchman "Pop" McVicar is sure in the middle of the bank notes with the Providence Rhode Island Reds. They won the league by seven fathoms and it looks like they will take the whole play-off proceedings by a fathom or more and don't forget that the speed-

legged kid will be getting his. Since this bunch of puck jugglers first turned pro. they have all been in some end of the play-down dough each and every year. Therefore I say they are lucky and that they have set up a record in this regard for a town the size of Grimsby.

I am very sorry to read from the papers that my old friend Tommy Wilcox had the misfortune last Sunday evening to lose his home and all its contents by fire. Neither Tommy or his good frau were at home at the time. Mrs. Wilcox being in Windsor nursing a sick daughter and of course Tommy being in Syracuse where he has the state-grinding concession in the Syracuse Arena. Tommy is the only man in the world that ever had the joy and privilege at so much per pair to sharpen the skates of four championship teams in one season. Namely, Montreal Canadiens, Saskatoon - Shells, Grimsby Peach Kings and Grimsby Peach Queens, all champions that one year in their respective leagues and all trained and coached on Grimsby Arena ice. When Canadians left Grimsby the fall of 1934 to play their first game in Toronto ev-ery pair of skates had a razor blade edge ground on them by Tommy. In the play-downs that winter when Canadians were playing St. Patricks in Toronto, Leo Dandurand sent for Tommy to come to Toronto and grind the skates of the coming champions. Since then Tommy has owned several skate grinding concessions in large arenas, including Windsor, Port Erie and Syracuse.

There are too many Gibsons in this district. Of course not as many as there are Smiths, Nellses and Woolvertons, but then these people never played hockey. In my write-up of the "Battle of Brantford" I mentioned a

Gibson, the aforesaid child of the clan being placed by me as one known as "Boudie". Now I'm in hot water. Along come Jack Gibson the Lehigh Valley Anthracite coal dealer and tells me I am wet and that it was Chester Gibson that was the Gibson that played on that team. I tell him that I have the original signed agreement that contained the names of the players, but here's the catch, the agreement only said "Gibson", not any specified Gibson. Jack, may be right, then again it may not have been "Chester" at all it may have been "Nanny", and the more I think about it the more I am convinced that it was "Nanny", the aforesaid goat named offspring being a brother of "Boudie". There is a ponderous question for Herb. Hagar and all the old timers to cogitate on. Which Gibson was the Gibson that was meant when the Gibson was named in the agreement and which Gibson played in that game for the honor and glory of — Gibson?

Hockey season is about over. The Peach Kings again went down in history as a team that could give and a team that could take it. "Dad" Farrell, one of Bill Hewitt's star whistle tooters has had his reward in words and money. Earl J. Marsh and his able sidekick George Marr have had the satisfaction of not only giving the public a great winter of pleasure and amusement but they have finished out of the "red" which all means that the arena will operate again next winter. These birds have all had their medals of praise from various sources during the long hectic battle of the snows. Now let's turn the corner and hand out a little salute to one of the stage hands. The guy behind the scenes that is hockey crazy. Crazy did I say, Mad, would be better. The one man that on any hockey team is an essential factor in their success. The man that takes all the abuse, does all the work, and never gets any reward. The man

that when a player develops cramps in his leg cords at three o'clock in the morning jumps out of bed when Little Sister on the switchboard gives him the dingle-ling and rushes in his battered old Henry across town to slap on the liniment and do the rubbing act. That happens always with any hockey team and will continue to happen. Peach Kings have always been fortunate in having trainers that put their soul and their seal in their work. The team of this year and for the past several years have had a trainer of that type, but nobody ever hears of him. Nobody ever sees him. He takes his joy out in the fact that the team has won or is winning and also in the love of his work. I refer, Ladies and Gentlemen, to Bobby Farrell. A boy that has done more for the younger generation of sporting inclined lads in Grimsby than any other tan man. A trainer that loves his work, knows his work, and loves the men and boys he works with. If you could but step behind the curtain as I do and see the work that this lad is doing and has been doing, then you would realize more and more what a good trainer of the right stamp means to a hockey team or any other kind of a team. Bobby take your bow.

"Red" Farrell, and his old sidekick pal "Hawae" Marsh are still in the glare of the calcium. How are you going to keep this pair from becoming immortal. If Hamilton Tigers ever amount to a — after this pair die of old age then I'm a collector of German Marks. They have held the Bengals up all seasons and now they, like their monied brothers, are up in the big time where the going is tough and rough. But how could they make it too tough or too rough for "Red". Bay he can give it and he can take it and he makes them eat it out of his hand. Stick in there kids or I'll send McCartney up to take your place.

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What Hydro Has Saved
Domestic Consumers

In 1932, the last year for which comparative figures are available, all the domestic consumers served by Hydro municipalities used an aggregate of 740,000,000 kilowatt-hours, for which they paid the aggregate sum of \$11,676,000, or an average cost, inclusive of all charges, of only 1.57 cents per kilowatt-hour. According to United States census figures for 1932, the domestic consumers served by privately-owned utilities in that country paid an average of 3.60 cents per kilowatt-hour.

It is a simple matter to compute that, if Ontario Hydro domestic consumers had had to pay, for the 740,000,000 kilowatt-hours they used in 1932, as much per kilowatt-hour as United States consumers paid, their bills would have aggregated the vast sum of \$41,490,000, or nearly \$30,000,000 more than the amount their electricity actually cost them under Hydro service.

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in Typical Canadian and United States Cities

MONTHLY NET BILL FOR THE SAME QUANTITY OF ELECTRICITY			
UNDER HYDRO SYSTEM		UNDER PRIVATE OWNERSHIP	
Toronto	\$1.44	Montreal	\$3.13
London	1.74	Detroit	4.35
Hamilton	1.74	Buffalo	4.14
Brantford	1.74	New York	6.60
Ottawa	1.74	Boston	5.30

NOTE—Hydro serves 56,000 rural consumers at an average cost, inclusive of all charges, of 4.17 cents per kilowatt-hour.

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